





STIFF RUSSIAN  
ATTACKS RETARD  
GERMAN ADVANCE

Only Slight Progress Is Made  
by the Invaders From Gulf  
of Riga to Galicia—Mus-  
covites in Strong Position  
in Places.

Approaching Autumn Storms  
Expected to Interfere With  
Teutons' Progress in Diffi-  
cult Country.

British and French Guns  
Continue to Batter  
Trenches in West, With  
No Indication of Offensive

By Associated Press.  
LONDON, Sept. 6.—Fighting on both  
wings of the eastern front proceeds with  
much greater vigor than the struggle  
in the center, where the invaders ap-  
parently are finding difficulties in track-  
ing the Russian advance. In the south, near the  
Galician border, fortune fluctuates, first  
one side and then the other claiming  
successes. The main offensive how-  
ever, still lies with the Austrians and  
Germans.

On the north flank Field Marshal von  
Hindenburg now holds the Dvina bridge-  
head at Friedland, but has lost that at  
Lennawala, further down the river  
toward Riga. The battle in that region  
continues without decisive results. At  
any other points the Teutons are con-  
tending themselves with repulsing Rus-  
sian counter attacks.

The Germans having set fire to the  
bridge over the Dvina in the region of  
Friedland, and with reinforcements  
started a movement to force a  
crossing, the Russians, according to an  
official Petrograd communication, have  
crossed to the right bank of the stream  
and are now fighting in the region of  
Vilpa, the fall of which has been pre-  
dicted for some days, the Germans are  
faced by strong Russian forces, who,  
by their offensive make it dangerous  
for the Germans to push any further  
westward, north or south of them.

The Germans, on the other hand, are  
massed between Groino and Kobrin  
on the Brest-Pinsk Railway, but their  
immediate object is not obvious unless  
they are looking for a good defensive  
position on which to hold the Russians  
throughout the winter.

Further south the Russians are offer-  
ing fresh resistance as they are firmly  
established in a fortified area of which  
Dobru and Dubno are the main points.  
In Galicia they still hold the line of the  
Beret River.

With the rainy season a few weeks  
off, the opposing armies, especially in  
the marshy region of the center, cannot  
hope to carry on the operations much  
longer and some reports state that the  
Germans and Austrians are already  
moving troops to the Serbian, Rumanian  
and western fronts.

Russia corrected earlier reports  
concerning the attempt of the Germans  
to make a landing at Perna, confirming  
instead vessels as the result of attacks  
by the Russians, the Germans intention-  
ally sank several small steamers to  
block the entrance to the Gulf of Riga.  
The deduction is made that the Ger-  
mans feared the Russians would land  
there sufficiently strong forces to  
threaten Field Marshal von Hinden-  
burg's left flank.

Saturday and Sunday along the west-  
ern front brought a continuous and  
vigorous bombardment by French artil-  
lery at Arras, in the Champagne, the  
Meuse, along the Lorraine front and  
in the Vosges. This heavy artillery fire  
has continued for almost a fort-  
night. The motive is no more obvious  
now than at the beginning.

Violent Artillery Fighting Occurs in  
Arras Neighborhood.  
PARIS, Sept. 6.—Violent artillery fight-  
ing continued last night in the vicinity  
of Arras, Roubaix and Bretoncourt,  
both German and French batteries tak-  
ing part. There also were artillery ex-  
changes in the Champagne district. Ac-  
cording to the official report given out  
this afternoon by the War Office.

Russian Torpedo Boats Engage Turk-  
ish Fleet.  
PETROGRAD, Sept. 6.—An official  
statement given out last night said:  
"On the Black Sea our torpedo boats  
Pravoslav and Bystryi, under command  
of Capt. Fregata and Prince Troubet-  
sky, attacked today near Burgudak the  
Turkish cruiser Hamid and two  
torpedo boats. There was two hours'  
fighting and the damaged enemy ships  
fled in the direction of the Bosphorus,  
pursued by our destroyers. They left  
behind four colliers, which we sank with  
their cargoes."

35 of Crew of Submarine Sunk by  
Turks Reported Captured.  
BERLIN, Sept. 6.—Three officers  
and 35 men of the crew were captured  
by the Turks when a submarine  
of the entente allies was shelled  
and sunk by a Turkish coast guard  
ship, as reported yesterday, accord-  
ing to the Overseas News Agency.

"Enemy torpedo boats," the quoted  
official report adds, "attempted to  
approach but were forced to retire  
by fire from our batteries."

Feeling's First Paid Fire Chief Dies.  
PEORIA, Ill., Sept. 6.—Orin H. Nor-  
ton, first chief of the paid fire de-  
partment of this city, died here yester-  
day at the age of 76.

Hals Coming

Prince Leopold Riding Through a Street in  
Warsaw That Is Lined by German Infantry



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4.7-Inch Gun  
Was Mounted on  
Liner Hesperian

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rian asserted that she was torpedoed  
without warning, the first official re-  
ports, as announced by the State De-  
partment, did not clear up that point  
or indicate whether the ship attempted  
to escape.

There was no comment on the disaster  
from either the White House or State  
Department, but high officials, it was  
understood, thought it inconceivable  
that a German commander had attacked  
a peaceful passenger liner without  
warning, in view of the recently ex-  
pressed attitude of the German Imperial  
Government.

First reports from Consul Frost at  
Queenstown stated that the Hesperian  
carried aft, mounted and visible, a 4.7-  
inch rifle. That is permissible for de-  
fensive purposes under international  
law. It was suggested, however, that  
the presence of the gun might figure,  
under some circumstances, in the subma-  
rine commander's explanation to the  
Berlin Admiralty.

The Consul's message to the State De-  
partment dated 1 p. m., Saturday, fol-  
lows:

"The Allan liner Hesperian torpedoed  
by German submarine 70 miles south-  
west of Fastnet at 8:30 o'clock Saturday  
evening. One or two Americans on  
board; none lost. Loss of life about  
eight. Vessel has not sunk. Admiralty  
boats landed passengers and troops at  
9:30 this morning. Have returned to  
bring Hesperian in here. Due about 9  
o'clock tomorrow morning. There were  
about forty-five Canadian troops on  
board, unorganized and mainly in-  
volved. Also one 4.7 gun, mounted and  
visible on stern. Vessel bound for Mont-  
real."

TANKER IS SUNK;  
6 OF CREW KILLED

Six Are Injured and Thirty-One  
Others Landed Safely From  
Cymbeline.

LONDON, Sept. 6.—The British steam-  
er Cymbeline has been sunk (presumably  
by a submarine). Six members of  
the crew were killed and six were in-  
jured. Thirty-one others were landed  
safely.

The Cymbeline was a tank steamer  
of 405 tons gross. She was last re-  
ported as having sailed from Port Ar-  
thur, Tex., Aug. 13, and Norfolk, Va.,  
Aug. 21, for Dartmouth, England.

Lloyd's announces that the Danish  
steamer Frode of 2050 tons has been  
sunk. Capt. Clemmensen and 13 mem-  
bers of the crew of the vessel were  
saved.

The Morning Post's Stockholm cor-  
respondent says the Swedish steamer  
Sven-Renstrom of 413 tons has been  
sunk. The fate of the crew is un-  
known.

The Norwegian bark Glimt has been  
sunk, but its crew of 14 were landed  
safely. The Glimt was of 884 tons.

Hesperian Had No Gun Leaving  
Montreal, Says A. H. Allen of  
Allan Line.

MONTREAL, Sept. 6.—That there was  
no gun aboard the liner Hesperian, was  
the opinion expressed today by Andrew  
H. Allen of the Allan Line, in comment-  
ing on the dispatch of the American  
Consul in Queenstown, which indicated  
that the steamer had a 4.7-inch rifle  
mounted astern.

"I am practically certain there was no  
gun mounted on the Hesperian," said  
Allen. "We have no guns mounted on  
any of our ships, unless they have been  
taken over by the Government for use  
as transports. When the Hesperian  
sailed from Montreal she certainly car-  
ried no gun. A 4.7 is a pretty big gun  
and in order to mount one of them on a  
liner the whole of the inside of the  
ship would have to be braced up."

Boy Hurt by Parade Truck.  
Max Titen, 8 years old, of 1022 North  
Seventh street, was knocked down at  
Sixth and Washington avenue today,  
while watching the labor day parade.  
The boy was reaching to the street for  
a circular when a decorated truck struck  
him. He suffered a cut on the right  
arm.

Graves Decorated  
on Anniversary of  
Battle of Marne

PARIS, Sept. 6.  
SOLDIERS' graves on the bat-  
tlefield at Meaux and its en-  
vironments were visited yesterday  
by crowds of Parisians, observing  
the anniversary of the battle of the  
Marne. Although the demon-  
stration was unofficial, members  
of patriotic and civil societies  
placed flags and wreaths on the  
graves.

Many of those who visited the  
scene of last year's conflict were  
in deep mourning. Officers and sol-  
diers, home on their four-days  
leave, paid homage to the mem-  
ory of their fallen comrades.

A solemn high mass was cele-  
brated in the morning in the Meaux  
Cathedral by Mgrs. Marbeau and  
Cheneval, while a patriotic ad-  
dress was delivered by Mgr. Gib-  
lier.

SOCIALIST NEPHEW OF BRITISH  
PREMIER'S WIFE DIES OF WOUNDS

Hon. Charles Alfred Lister, heir of  
Lord Ribblesdale, was followed  
by Kier Hardie.

LONDON, Sept. 6.—The Hon. Charles  
Alfred Lister, heir of Lord Ribblesdale  
and nephew of Mrs. Asquith, the Pre-  
mier's wife, has died of wounds re-  
ceived in the fighting on the Gallipoli  
Peninsula. Lister, 25 years old, was in  
the diplomatic service before the war  
and was regarded as a young man of  
great promise.

While he was still at Eton, a nursery  
of conservatism, young Lister followed  
the example of the Countess of War-  
wick and a few other aristocrats and  
enrolled himself as a member of the  
Independent Labor party, the Socialist  
organization founded by Kier Hardie,  
M. P. He gave vent to his revolution-  
ary opinions in the school debating so-  
ciety and wrote for the Socialist news-  
papers. He carried his acquired doc-  
trines to Oxford, where he announced:

"The land is still in the hands of the  
aristocracy, and no inducement is of-  
fered to a man of average ambition to  
buy in his native village and till his  
own plot of land. Nationalization of  
the land, if a practicable scheme can  
be evolved, is the only remedy for this  
condition of things."

Young Lister was heir to 5000 acres  
around his ancestral home, Osburn  
Park, Yorkshire, which has been in  
his family more than 500 years.

MAN POISONED BY TOADSTOOLS

Charles Spradley Is In Serious Con-  
dition.  
Charles Spradley, 45 years old, of 4111  
North Second street, is in a serious  
condition at the city hospital from eat-  
ing toadstools which he mistook for  
mushrooms.

Spradley picked the toadstools in the  
recently flooded district near the foot  
of Brown avenue yesterday. He ate  
several of them and 15 minutes later he  
was in convulsions.

Washington Newspaper Man Dies.  
WASHINGTON, Sept. 6.—Charles A.  
Boynton, an employee of the Associated  
Press, and one of the best known Ameri-  
can newspaper men of the last 25 years,  
died here early yesterday, aged 75 years.  
He had not been in active service since  
1909.

Woman, 75, Injured by Street Car.  
Mrs. Mary Derbes, 75 years old, a  
widow of 314 South Eighth street, suf-  
fered a concussion of the brain today  
after she was knocked down by a  
southbound Broadway car at Hickory  
street. The motorist took the police  
Mrs. Derbes walked into his car.

Rollie Auto Hits Boy on Bicycle.  
Rollie de Haire, 12 years old, of 8713  
Easton avenue, was knocked from a  
bicycle at Delmar and De Baliviere ave-  
nues today by a Jitney auto driven by  
Alex J. Carpenter, 2347 Gravois avenue,  
who took the boy to the city hospital.  
The boy was injured internally. Car-  
penter was arrested, charged with felo-  
nious wounding.

One of the business problems of today  
is how to secure better help. It is im-  
portant that the employer SELECT  
high-grade workers. This can be done  
through Post-Dispatch Wants.

HESPERIAN WAS  
GIVEN NO WARNING,  
PASSENGERS SAY

Lookout Was Sole Person to  
Observe Submarine Before  
Liner Was Torpedoed.

QUEENSTOWN, Sept. 6.—Rescue  
boats with passengers and members of  
the crew of the Hesperian arrived here  
yesterday. Passengers told of the tor-  
pedoing of the liner Saturday evening  
off the south coast of Ireland.

The passengers were unanimous in de-  
claring that the Hesperian was at-  
tacked in the early night without warn-  
ing.

The only person aboard the steamer  
who actually saw the underwater boat  
was a man on watch, who got a glimpse  
of it in the distance and reported the  
fact to Capt. Main.

Maj. J. S. Barnes, a Canadian officer  
who was returning home to recuperate  
from wounds, said:

"The Hesperian was torpedoed with-  
out warning. That there was not an  
appalling loss of life was no fault of  
the commander of the German subma-  
rine. The torpedo struck in a vital part  
of the engine room."

American on Board Saved.  
"According to statements made by  
some of those who were landed here,  
the captain of the Hesperian and about  
twenty of his crew never left the  
steamer, and although the captain ap-  
pealed to many of his men who had  
taken to the boats to return, they did  
not respond.

So far as has been ascertained by the  
American Consul, there were only two  
Americans aboard. Both were saved.  
They were ship stewards. One of them,  
named Dolan of Pittsburgh, said that no  
submarine was sighted.

Another American on board was a  
steward named McAllister whose home  
is in Grand Rapids, Mich.

The Hesperian had on board 2700 sacks  
of mail for the United States.

Among the soldiers returning to Cana-  
da was one named Chambers of Truro,  
Nova Scotia. Through gas fumes at the  
front he had lost the sight of both  
eyes, but after the explosion he dis-  
covered to his astonishment and delight  
that he had regained the sight of one  
eye.

Another Canadian officer who re-  
mained on board the Hesperian until  
the rescue steamers arrived said that  
the wireless was put out of action, but  
a ship's officer climbed the mast and  
sent repaired it.

Rescue Steamers Arrive.  
The first rescue steamer arrived at  
9:30 o'clock and took survivors out of  
the lifeboats. Two other steamers came  
up an hour later and one of them re-  
mained with the Hesperian until mid-  
night, when Capt. Main reported that  
he would be able to keep the water  
down until the vessel reached Queens-  
town.

Boiler A. Boyle, a Canadian, said  
that one lifeboat was hanging in mid-  
air with its bow up and stern down.  
He said that eventually all who had been  
in that boat were thrown into the sea.

Later, according to Boyle, he saw an-  
other boat hanging the same way. Its  
only occupant was a baby, which he  
rescued. The boat in which Boyle put  
away from the Hesperian picked up two  
women who had been thrown into the  
water, and later two men.

Ronald Whiteway of London, who  
with his wife, was a passenger, said:  
"We were sitting on the upper deck,  
the weather being delightful, when  
about 8:30 o'clock Saturday evening we  
felt a violent impact which almost  
knocked us out of our chairs."

"In less time than I can tell of it, a  
huge volume of water rose almost as  
high as the masts and, breaking,  
drenched us. We had thought we were  
out of the danger zone and were dis-  
cussing the possibility of a pleasant  
voyage."

"The lifeboats were quickly lowered  
and rowed away from the steamer, on  
which the captain and officers and some  
of the crew remained. The steamer ap-  
parently was struck on the starboard  
side, but as it was nearly dark the tor-  
pedo could not be seen. After the ex-  
plosion the Hesperian settled down by

Soldier Blinded by  
Gas Partly Recovers  
Eyesight in Disaster

QUEENSTOWN, Sept. 6.  
MONG the soldiers returning  
to Canada on the Hesperian  
was one named Chambers,  
belonging in Truro, Nova Scotia.  
Through gas fumes at the front  
steamer he had lost the sight of both eyes,  
but after the accident to the ship  
he had discovered, to his astonish-  
ment and delight, that he had re-  
gained the sight of one eye.

The head. Rescue steamers were soon  
on the scene and took the passengers on  
board.

Mr. Hamilton, a saloon passenger,  
said:

"No warning was given before the tor-  
pedo was fired. Suddenly a boatwain  
cried: 'Submarine on the starboard bow.'  
Almost simultaneously the torpedo  
struck."

"I entered a boat with 50 others. The  
boat took the water safely, but leaked  
badly. It was necessary to detail two  
members of the crew to bail constantly.  
The women behaved very well and there  
was no appreciable panic aboard the  
boat. We were in the boat about two  
hours before rescued."

Among the second-class passengers  
were more than 100 women and chil-  
dren.

It is reported here that a sailing ves-  
sel was torpedoed about the same time  
as the Hesperian.

HORSE BEGAN TO SNEEZE AS  
SOON AS OLD OWNER DEPARTED

Farmer Searching for Man to Whom  
He Paid \$60 for Animal He Says  
Is Not Worth \$5.

John Bernst, a farmer, living on Ru-  
route No. 2, near Clayton, went to  
2340 Cass avenue, yesterday, to look at  
a horse advertised for sale. The ani-  
mal's appearance satisfied Bernst and  
the owner said it was in fine condition.  
Bernst wanted to try it out.

After two hours of driving, during  
which the horse behaved splendidly,  
Bernst paid the owner \$50. As soon as  
the old owner was out of sight the  
horse began to sneeze. It sneezed un-  
til its nose bled and then kept on  
sneezing.

Bernst searched for the owner, but  
Charles Richter of 240 Cass avenue,  
who rented the stable, said he did not  
know the man who had sold the horse.  
Bernst told the police that the horse  
had the worst case of epilepsy that  
he ever saw. He said it was not worth  
\$5 in its condition.

NAVY TRIES AUTOS IN HAITI

WASHINGTON, Sept. 6.—Results of  
experiments with five motor trucks now  
employed by American naval forces in  
Haiti will determine whether motors or  
horses will be provided in the future for  
the marines for hauling their artillery  
equipment.

Not long ago the marines dragged their  
artillery about by hand, but increased  
size of the guns has made that imprac-  
ticable.

Shot by Blind Telegraph Operator.  
GARMEL, Ill., Sept. 6.—Gilbert W. Mc-  
Donald, blind telegraph operator at  
Maumelle, Ill., late Saturday night shot  
and wounded Will Pierce, whom he  
mistook for a holdup man. Pierce was  
wounded in the left arm. McDonald  
was not arrested.

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Graham Crackers  
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or grown-up. Made of se-  
lected flour—baked right-  
packed right—kept right.

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BRITISH FAILURE  
IN DARDANELLES  
IS CALLED LUCKY

Turkish Diplomat Says Taking  
of Constantinople Would Mean  
Turning It Over to Russia.

By KARL H. VON WIEGAND.  
A Staff Correspondent of the Post-  
Dispatch and the New York World.  
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BERLIN, Sept. 6.—"The situation of the  
English at the Dardanelles and their  
attitude toward Turkey is like that of  
a man sitting on a tree branch and cut-  
ting it off between himself and the  
tree."

So declared a Turkish diplomat of  
high rank from Constantinople while  
discussing with me the recent heavy  
losses of the allies on the Gallipoli pen-  
insula. The diplomat continued:

"All reports to the contrary notwith-  
standing, the allies are making no progress  
in or along the Dardanelles. They are  
only sacrificing thousands of lives in  
what has been a hopeless undertak-  
ing so far."

"The English really have had luck  
in meeting failure in the Dardanelles,  
and I hope they will continue to have  
such luck. It is lucky for us and not  
much less lucky for England."

Mad From Fear of Germany.  
"England has simply gone mad from  
fear of Germany. This absurd 'Ger-  
man madness' which has become an obses-  
sion with them, has caused the best of  
English statesmen to lose their heads  
—to lose sight of England's best in-  
terests, so causing the English to do  
that, which, if successful, would be the  
worst possible thing for England's fu-  
ture."

"Russia is England's great future  
enemy. If you look far enough ahead,  
no other conclusion can be arrived at  
than that it is Russia which England must  
reckon with in the future. So, En-  
gland's endeavor to conquer the Darda-  
nelles, to take Constantinople and de-  
liver her to England's greatest rival of  
the future, is nothing short of political  
madness."

"If always have had the highest ad-  
miration and respect for British states-  
men, who undoubtedly have been  
among the greatest in the world, but  
England's attempt to deliver Turkey to  
Russia displays a lack of political far-  
sightedness that is incomprehensible to  
me."

"England's prestige has been buried  
deeper on the front at the Dardanelles  
than anywhere else in this war. The  
deepest fear of English prestige is the  
Gallipoli Peninsula. Her failure there  
is bound to shake English influence to  
its very foundations and the day will  
come when England will know this."

Unbroken Series of Defeats.  
"Her efforts to capture the Darda-  
nelles and Constantinople have failed  
and we have every reason to believe  
will continue to fail."

The entire Dardanelles campaign by  
the allies, on sea and land, has been an  
unbroken series of defeats, of which the  
full extent is probably not known or  
realized in England and France.

"The Turk has come into his own  
again as a fighter," concluded the diplo-  
mat, whom I met in Vienna and who  
came to Berlin on the same train with  
me. "So far as Turkey is concerned,  
if England and France are serious in  
their conquest for territorial aggrandizement,  
it is immaterial whether they should  
keep Turkey for themselves or deliver  
us to Russia for a price."

The diplomat added that an agreement  
between Turkey and Bulgaria probably  
would prove the turning point of the  
Balkan situation. He declared that such  
an agreement had been perfected, but  
he could not confirm officially that it  
had been signed.

From other reliable sources I am in-  
formed that only the protocols of such  
an agreement have been signed. After  
they were signed Bulgaria, it is reported,  
made some new demands of such a  
nature that they must be weighed care-  
fully before they are agreed upon.

SAFE IS THROWN DOWN STAIRS

Burglars in Edible Supply Co., How-  
ever Fall to Open Inner Door.  
When Frank McLaughlin, manager for  
the Edible Supply Co., at 2334 Olive  
street, entered his office this morning,  
the safe wasn't there. He found it had  
been thrown down a flight of stairs  
leading to the basement.

Near the safe lay a hatchet, a ham-  
mer, a chisel and a brace and bit. The  
outer door had been forced open, but  
the inner doors were still secure. The  
safe was a small one and contained lit-  
tle money.

Farmer, His Wife and Employee Slain.  
SNOW HILL, Md., Sept. 6.—A. J. Ro-  
binson, his wife, and Alonso Redden,  
a farm hand, were shot and killed by  
Frank Grano at Robinson's farm near  
here today. Grano was arrested. Jeal-  
ousy of Mrs. Robinson was given as  
the cause of the triple murder.

5¢  
OYSTERETTES  
The Oyster Cracker

There was a time when oysters  
were eaten without Oysterettes,  
but it was before these flaky little  
crackers were made. But now

OYSTERETTES  
The Oyster Cracker  
are eaten and enjoyed with soups  
and other things as well as oysters.

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HOW CRUISER LION WAS  
SAVED TOLD BY OFFICERS;  
TIGER SHOWS FEW SCARS

Warship Which Germans Claimed to Have  
Sunk Seen by Correspondent on First  
Visit Permitted to Grand Fleet.

LONDON, Sunday, Sept. 6, delayed in  
transmission.—During his visit to the  
British fleet in the last week, the  
correspondent, after boarding all of the  
more important ships, witnessed a mag-  
nificent spectacle—that of the whole  
force putting to sea.

Officers on Vice Admiral Sir David  
Beatty's flagship the Lion, which has  
received the roughest handling in the  
series of any major British ship now afloat,  
told of the difficulty they had to per-  
suade the young commander to descend  
at the opening of the action on Jan. 24  
from the bridge, where he had an un-  
hindered vision, to the armored pro-  
tection of the conning tower. They  
gave an exciting account of the success  
of the destroyers in foiling all efforts  
of submarines to reach the crippled Lion  
as she was being towed home at five  
knots an hour after sinking the German  
cruiser Blucher.

The places in which the Lion was  
damaged during the North Sea battle  
were not discernible in some instances,  
owing to reconstruction of the section  
where the shells burst. In other cases  
the location was evident, patches having  
been placed over the injured places.

The Tiger, which the Germans claimed  
to have sunk and which is a sister bat-  
tle cruiser of the Lion, had fewer scars  
to show as a result of the North Sea  
battle.

Few Marks of Battle.  
On the Queen Elizabeth, the only signs  
of her experiences at the Dardanelles  
which were visible were a section of  
new planks on deck, where a shell pen-  
etrated, and a dent from a glancing shot  
on one of her 15-inch guns.

The indefatigable flagship in the  
Falkland Islands battle, suffered less  
injury there than at the Dardanelles,  
where she was struck by a mine and  
was under heavy fire from shore. A  
piece of the mine is kept in the ward  
room as a souvenir, and all the ships  
which have been in action had frag-  
ments of German shells set in mount-  
ings as mementoes. Officers referred  
to the manner in which the necessity  
had been foreseen in British naval pre-  
paration for the attack on the German  
fleet, thus insuring prompt re-  
pairs when any ship returned injured  
in action.

"But we had few repairs to make and  
our energy and resources were given to  
the rapid substitution of new fighting  
units, which continues to increase our  
preponderance over the German fleet,"  
one officer remarked. The correspond-  
ent heard repeated and sympathetic re-  
ferences to the sacrifices and hardships  
of the army during the grilling weeks of  
war, while the battleships marked time  
in their long wait.

"But if battle comes for us it will  
not last long," an officer said. "Every-  
one's waiting only sharpens our eager-  
ness."

Only Color Visible.  
The only color visible in that vast  
assembly of fighting ships stretching  
into the misty horizon or standing out  
against the green background of the  
harbor was the blue uniforms of the  
crews and an occasional signal flag  
fluttering from the halyard.

While on board the flagship of Ad-  
miral Sir John Jellicoe, a message was  
brought to the commander in chief, who  
called a secretary and spoke briefly to  
him. Word was passed around that  
the whole fleet had been ordered to  
weigh anchor and proceed to sea.  
Guests on board a destroyer at the  
harbor watched the un-  
precedented procession of naval power  
make its exit, led by graceful light  
cruisers and flotillas of destroyers.

"But are not German submarines  
waiting outside?" was asked.  
"No doubt, two or three are always  
out on a mission to sink us," the de-  
stroyers know how to keep them off."  
Cutting through choppy waves and  
leaving foaming wakes, the destroyers,  
attendant satellites of the great fight-  
ing ships, ran in and out, always on  
the move. It seemed that if a line had  
been drawn between the stern and bow  
of any two battleships, the vast mass  
of any other two, so steadily were the  
intervals kept. The crews were out  
and the sight added impression to the  
fleet's gray armored might.

Seemingly Endless Columns.  
The head of the column was lost in  
the mist of approaching nightfall and  
black clouds from the funnels. Eight,  
10, 20 dreadnoughts were counted as  
they went past with clockwork regu-  
larity, and out of other smoke clouds in  
the harbor were more dreadnoughts  
coming from the Kint



## DUMBA DEFENDS PLAN TO CALL OUT MUNITION WORKERS

Austrian Ambassador Says He  
Has Right to Keep Countrymen  
Out of War Order Plants.

TO EXPLAIN TO LANSING

Statement Made After Secret  
Documents Which Archibald  
Carried Are Made Public.

LENEX, Mass., Sept. 6.—The right to call out Austrian-Hungarian workers in the big steel mills of the country engaged in filling war orders for the allies was claimed by Dr. Constantin Theodor Dumba, Ambassador from Austria-Hungary to the United States, in a statement issued last night at the summer embassy here.

Dr. Dumba said he intended to leave today for Washington to explain his position to Secretary Lansing.

This statement was called forth by dispatches from London, published yesterday, making public excerpts from letters and memoranda forwarded by Dr. Dumba to Foreign Minister Buri of Austria-Hungary, which were seized by the British naval authorities from James F. J. Archibald, an American newspaper correspondent, who was apprehended when the steamer Rotterdam arrived at Falmouth the latter part of August.

Dr. Dumba declared that there was nothing in the dispatches from him to his Government, taken by the British naval authorities that could not be properly explained. In regard to one part of the published statement, in which it was said that a typewritten memorandum prepared by Dr. Dumba contained detailed information as to how the big steel mills at Bethlehem, Pa., and elsewhere could be put out of commission, the Ambassador said: "I have never seen this memorandum, and I am sure that Archibald before he sailed, and he was entrusted with secret and valuable papers. I fall to understand how he could have been so careless as to allow these dispatches to fall into the hands of our enemies. However, there was nothing in the dispatches which cannot be satisfactorily explained.

"The proposals regarding calling out citizens of Austria-Hungary, made by me, were that every open and perfectly proper method be taken to bring before our Government the fact that they were engaged in an enterprise that was unfriendly to their fatherland, and that the Imperial Government would hold workers in munition plants who contracted were being filled for the allies with being guilty of a serious crime against the country, something that would be punishable by imprisonment or penal servitude should they return to their own country.

"There are three hundred Austrians in the big steel industries, natives of Bohemia, Moravia, Carniola, Dalmatia, Croatia, Slavonia and other peoples of the races from Austria-Hungary who are uneducated and who do not understand that they are engaged in a work against their own country. In order to bring this before them, I have subsidized many newspapers published in the languages and dialects of the divisions mentioned, attempting in this way to bring their felonious occupation to their attention. But this has been difficult.

"Men in Some Plants 'Slaves.'"  
"In some of the great steel plants of Pennsylvania, the uneducated men of our country are nothing more or less than slaves. They are even working twelve hours a day and herding them within stockades. It is difficult to get at these workers except en masse, and a peaceful means of preventing the advantage to my Government, as well as an indemnity to themselves.

"It is my duty as representative of Austria-Hungary to communicate and make known these facts to the Imperial Government, and in so doing I am performing the service for which I am sent to this country.

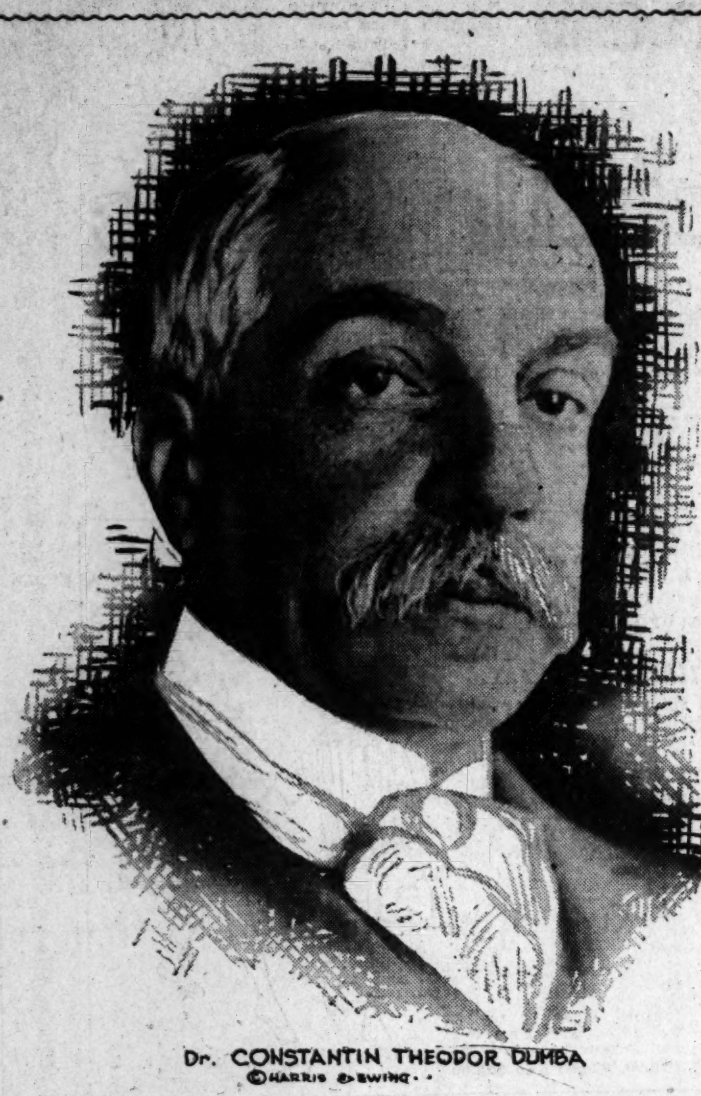
**Plan to Call Out Workers.**  
"The dispatches or letters carried by Archibald contained nothing more than a proposal that we attempt to call out the workmen of our own country from these steel and munition works and provide for them other employment. To do so, money would be necessary and a labor employment bureau would have to be organized. This is one of the things I shall bring before the Secretary of Labor and Commerce when I am in Washington this week. This seems to me to be a peaceful and entirely satisfactory means of preventing the making and shipping of war materials to our enemies.

"My letter which Mr. Archibald carried does not contradict Mr. Bernstorff, for his people and the great bulk of those who make up our Austro-Hungarian races are entirely different types. The greater part of the German workmen in all ranks are educated. They read and discuss matters and can be easily reached. Not so with the many races and the great ignorant mass of our people. Promises of better wages and easier employment must be made and their positions in aiding the enemy must be brought home to them. Where there are a hundred of German-born men working in the factories there are thousands of Austrians.

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Dr. Dumba denies the statement from London that Hungarians were to be sent into the munition and steel works to embarrass their output, but on the contrary, he emphasized that a great

## Ambassador Who Planned to Call Out Munition Workers



Dr. CONSTANTIN THEODOR DUMBA  
Ambassador from Austria-Hungary to the United States

bulk of the men employed at Schwab's Bethlehem steel works and elsewhere in steel construction plants were Hungarians or members of other races of Austria-Hungary. It was of the number of such men employed in various works and of their race that Capt. Archibald carried a document, said to have been prepared by the editor of the New York Hun newspaper.

"Nothing is safe from these English spies," Dr. Dumba said, with reference to Archibald's being searched at Falmouth. "I am surrounded by spies in New York. They even send their spies up to Lenox."

**Washington Officials Remain Silent on Dumba Statement.**  
WASHINGTON, Sept. 6.—The White House and State Department continued to preserve strict silence today on the published statement of Ambassador Dumba of Austria that he had taken part in a movement to curtail production of war materials in the United States by reminding Austro-Hungarian subjects that they were violating the criminal code of their native land by accepting employment in the munition plants.

Secretary Lansing later in the day received a request from Ambassador Dumba for a conference and made an appointment to meet him at the State Department tomorrow afternoon.

Officials here point out that the subject which has arisen from this incident is a new one to American diplomacy and that there are absolutely no precedents for official guidance. It is declared that unless existence of a conspiracy can be shown it is doubtful whether any statutory violation has been involved.

**'ALL PAPERS WERE NOT GIVEN OUT'**  
The question of the legality of approaching naturalized American citizens by Foreign Ambassadors in time of war is said to involve the question of dual citizenship, which has been a subject of continuous controversy between the United States and several of the great European Powers.

The Ambassador's frank statement of his activities, however, was received with undisguised surprise in official circles, as well as among other diplomats. No official was willing to venture an opinion on what position the State Department might take until the Ambassador had seen Secretary Lansing.

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## RUMANIANS IN SWITZERLAND ORDERED HOME

Men Told to Report to Regional Divisions, Says Official Berlin Statement.

BERLIN, Sept. 6, by wireless to London.—The following official statement was issued today:

"We learn from Geneva that Rumanians residing in Switzerland have received instructions to report to their regional divisions."

**Greek Congress Adjourns, Premier Makes No Statement.**

ATHENS, Sept. 6.—After passing a stringent law against contraband, Congress has adjourned until Oct. 23. Premier Venizelos has not yet made a statement regarding the foreign policy of his Government.

The pressure upon Greece to meet the suggestion of the quadruple entente regarding territory concession to Bulgaria apparently has slackened for the present at least. Interested diplomats declare it is now up to Greece to act.

Two Government employees were arrested last night, charged with revealing to belligerent agents the contents of messages from opposing belligerents.

**Rumanian and Austro-Hungary Settle Differences on Exports.**

PARIS, Sept. 6.—A Havas dispatch from Bucharest filed Friday says:

"The differences between Rumania and Austria-Hungary regarding Rumanian exports to Austria and the transportation of German goods to Bulgaria through Rumania have been settled."

"Austria and Germany will provide freight cars for exports from Rumania, which, in turn, will permit the transit through its territory of Bulgarian goods, which, in turn, will be used for military purposes."

**15 PERSONS KILLED IN 4 AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENTS**  
Trains Hit Cars at Two Towns in New York, One in Indiana and One in Wisconsin.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Sept. 6.—Five persons were killed yesterday when their automobile was struck by an electric car on the Erie Railroad, about ten miles south of Rochester.

GLEN FALLS, N. Y., Sept. 6.—Five persons, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Norton of Whitehall, their daughter, May, 19, a daughter-in-law, Mrs. John Norton, 30, and a granddaughter, Edith, 6, were killed late yesterday when their automobile was struck by a passenger train. John Norton, a son, who was driving the car, was seriously hurt.

CHESTERTON, Ind., Sept. 6.—Four occupants of an automobile were killed yesterday when a train struck the machine at a grade crossing.

RACINE, Wis., Sept. 6.—Andrew Brown was killed, Gust Jensen probably fatally injured and Dave Williams and F. B. Veltz seriously hurt when their automobile was wrecked by a Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul train yesterday near here.

Beaten Because He Had Only \$15.  
James Nickels of 1523 Olive street told the police that after he had been snugged and robbed of \$15 by five highwaymen at Broadway and Victor street last night the robbers followed him to Sidney street and beat him because he had no more money.

## 'FRIENDS OF PEACE' PLEGGED TO TRY TO ELIMINATE WAR

Convention in Chicago Makes  
No Attempt to Pass Resolutions  
for Embargo.

CHICAGO, Sept. 6.—Although speaker after speaker declared against the shipment of munitions from America to European belligerents and criticized the attitude of the administration toward the matter, the Friends of Peace today made no formal declaration in favor of an embargo.

Instead, the meeting adopted a resolution containing the following statement of principles as an expression of the purposes of the organization:

"That the majority of Americans are opposed to war except for the national defense.

"That the time has come to discard war, 'the greatest relic of barbarism.' That war will cease when enlightened men and women bind themselves together to prevent the production of war materials, to counteract teachings of false morality regarding warfare and to eliminate from public life every politician and every false teacher playing on the prejudices of the unthinking while secretly serving the manufacturers of arms and armaments."

**No Resolutions for Embargo.**

The announced intention of J. J. Tobias and others to introduce a resolution declaring for an embargo on war munitions did not materialize.

Henry Weismann of Chicago, chairman of the Resolutions Committee, said "the action of this convention must be a defiance of public opinion which we of German extraction believed to be unjustified. It must not be a defiance of what so many of us conceive to be the mistaken policy of our Government. It must be in the interests of true peace and we must preserve not rupture the common bonds."

Weismann was greeted with prolonged cheering when he declared:

"As one of German birth and training, I admire the German Prince who now leads the destinies of his nation, my heart is with the common people of Germany. I hope when this war is over that political conditions in Germany will be so popular, so domestic that Germany forever after will be the bulwark of peace and democracy."

Bryan's agreement to address the convention was not absolutely given until after a conference with the Executive Committee last night. After the meeting, Henry Weismann, one of the leaders of the convention, said that Bryan would speak with the understanding that anything he might say would not be binding on the convention and anything he might say would not be binding on him.

A ripple of applause greeted the reading of a bulletin yesterday announcing that the liner Hesperian had been torpedoed by a German submarine, but immediately a storm of hisses drowned out the applause.

The bulletin, read by Weismann, contained the erroneous statement that: 600 lives had been lost. Later another bulletin stating no lives had been lost was read and the delegates broke into applause that lasted several minutes.

**German-Americans of Kentucky Affirm Allegiance to U. S.**  
LOUISVILLE, Ky., Sept. 6.—The German-American Alliance of Kentucky, in annual session here yesterday, adopted a resolution deploring previous dissensions between the United States and Germany, expressing satisfaction with reports that the two countries had effected an understanding and recording with gratifying pleasure President Wilson's attitude in having averted serious consequences.

The alliance also "renewed without

**Dispute Over Discharged and Suspension of Workers Causes Walkout.**

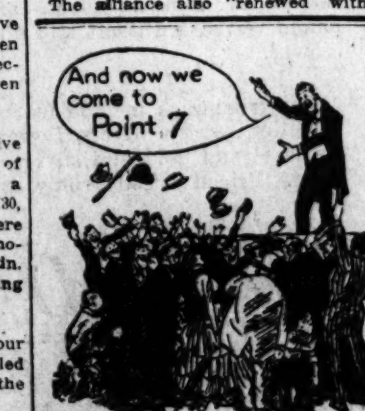
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## ST. LOUIS PUBLIC UTILITIES DRAW NO BIG TAX INCREASES

Bell Telephone Co. Assessment  
Raised \$256,000, United  
Railways Only \$12.

State Auditor Gordon has made public the assessment revision as finally approved by the State Board of Equalization, composed of the Governor, Secretary of State, Attorney-General, Auditor and Treasurer.

It shows an increased taxable valuation of \$37,587,522.21 from all sources. At the maximum legal rate of 15 cents on the \$100, this will increase the State's direct revenue \$56,381.28 a year.

Of the total increased assessment, \$34,766,468 comes from urban real estate, farm lands and personal property. The other \$3,122,054 represents an increased assessment of the public utilities corporations.

Of the corporations hardest hit is the Kansas City Terminal Association on account of the new Union Station in that city. Its single increase was \$1,000,000, almost a third of the whole burden added to the public service companies.

**St. Louis Firms Fare Well.**  
St. Louis utilities fared rather better under the hands of the board. The United Railways assessment was increased only \$12. The Terminal Railway Association escaped without a dollar's increase.

The Southwestern Telegraph and Telephone Co. (Bell), which recently obtained permission from the Public Service Commission to increase its rates that it might earn what its officers called a fair return on its investment, drew an increased assessment of \$256,584.

The American Telephone and Telegraph Co. (Bell) was increased \$215,544. The Kinloch Telephone Co. assessment was raised \$18,298.

The Santa Fe Railroad's assessment was raised \$132,846.33. The Chicago & Alton drew an increase of \$141,661; the Milwaukee Railroad one of \$70,135; and the Missouri, Kansas & Texas one of \$61,242. The total increase from all railroads was \$1,907,583.35.

All property in the State is valued, for taxation purposes, at \$1,357,471,323.47. Of this real estate constitutes \$1,279,855,574 and personal property \$77,615,749. Of the latter, cities and towns are assessed at almost double the total for all the farm lands in the entire State, the actual figures being \$800,064,892 for the former as against \$473,790,832 for the latter.

The findings of the Board of Equalization are the following assessment valuations on some of the principal St. Louis public service corporations:

United Railways, \$31,590,385; Terminal Railway Association, \$6,306,450; Southwestern Telegraph and Telephone Co., \$4,646,151; American Telephone and Telegraph Co., \$2,565,149.66; Kinloch Telephone Co., \$18,298.

**YUAN ATTACKS NEPOTISM**

President of China Says He Never Allowed Relatives to Hold Office.

PEKING, Sept. 6.—President Yuan Shikai, in a recent statement, struck a blow into nepotism, which is so thoroughly interwoven in the Far East because of the devotion to family and the belief that caring for relatives is the best means of paying proper respect to ancestors. He said:

"I have never allowed my relatives to enter into official positions, because I have strong reasons to believe that to give Government appointments to them, especially if they have no experience or proper qualifications, would only serve to convert them into parasites or dependents. To show favor to one's relatives or friends should not be done at the country's expense."

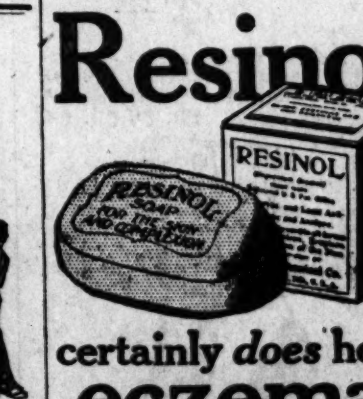
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## POPE HOPES U.S. MAY START STRONG PEACE MOVEMENT

Looks to America for Action When Agreement on Submarine Question Remove Obstacles to Initiative by President.

By KARL H. VON WIEGAND.

A staff correspondent of the Post-Dispatch and the New York World. (Copyright, 1915, by Press Pub. Co.)

BERLIN, Sept. 4, via The Hague and London, Sept. 6.—That the Pope entertains high hopes of America starting a strong and effective movement in the direction of peace, as soon as agreement between Germany and the United States on the Lusitania and the Arabic controversies and the general submarine questions removes these obstacles to an initiative on the part of President Wilson, is the information from a personage in Rome in close touch with the Holy Father.

When it became evident that European neutrals, as I telegraphed from Copenhagen, could not reach an accord on a proposed conference, and when there seemed to be no prospect of their doing so, these all were too hesitating over taking the initiative, the Pope again decided to appeal to President Wilson just as he did in my interview with him and his Easter message to the American people given me on Easter Monday.

It was the opinion of both the Holy Father and of Cardinal Gaspari, Secretary of State, as expressed to me at the time, that the sole hope for peace when the psychological moment came lay with President Wilson. To any efforts the President might make, the Pope even then pledged the utmost support of his moral influence. The Pope even at that time had high hopes that the moment would soon arrive when President Wilson could and would take action with every prospect that his influence, aided by the Holy Father's, would be of consequence with the belligerents.

**Relies on American President.**  
According to the Rome 'Informant' a person whose name I cannot mention for obvious reasons—the Pope has never ceased to cling to the idea and was much distressed when the tension between the United States and Germany over the submarine question threatened to render President Wilson impossible as a great factor toward peace. For it was upon the President that the Pope intended the effort to bring about a conference among European neutrals and even asked that he might be represented in the event that arrangements for the conference took definite form.

At the same time the Pope is said to have watched the controversy between the United States and Germany with the keenest interest. The moment that a verbal agreement was practically reached between the two countries and the situation so changed, that the President might not be considered unacceptable as a mediator, the Pope renewed his suggestion and appeal to President Wilson.

**Pope's Message Featured.**  
The German press is prominently featuring the Pope's message. President Wilson through Cardinal Gibbons. The

contents have not yet been published here in full, however, so that there is no editorial discussion and no one in responsible circles cares to express an opinion regarding it.

For several days also the German press has been making a feature of alleged strong movements for peace in England, but there has been little discussion of peace from the standpoint of German inclination.

While in some circles the belief appears to exist that the late autumn will witness an armistice, other quarters are pervaded by extreme skepticism. It is well to bear in mind that the statement made by Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg to an American News Association on behalf of the Kaiser recently, which was much exploited abroad as a bid for peace, was in reality a bit of political strategy, following closely Sir Edward Grey's letter to the press which was generally interpreted here as I am able to get any opinion here of the Pope's sanction, it appears to be a generally accepted belief that the Pope and President Wilson will probably be ultimately the mediators factors, so far as initiatory steps are concerned.

On my trip out of Germany I learned upon unquestionable authority the interesting fact that in the Cabinet of one of the great belligerents the fear had been expressed that the President and his Washington advisers had too little practical knowledge of the intricate European political conditions and relations to play the role of peacemaker with a prospect of success and that peace would have to be made from an European standpoint and not as America might view the situation.

**Ready for Winter Campaign.**  
The idea that Germany is not ready for another winter campaign is absurd. The country is, in fact, already fully prepared. From thousands of soldiers the war again been turned out for the army to the last buttons on warm winter clothing. There is evidence of this in many directions.

On authority which can be considered reliable, I learn that the process of making explosives without cotton is so successful that large quantities of cottonless explosives are being produced daily. The English embargo on cotton is ineffective in changing the chances of duration of war, so far as Germany is concerned.

**America Should Leave Peace Proposals Alone, Says Cologne Gazette.**

LONDON, Sept. 6.—A Reuter dispatch from Amsterdam says: "Commenting on the reported German peace proposals, the Cologne Gazette remarks: 'Americans would do well to leave these things alone. So long as they merely are champions of Germany's enemies, no one of us will recognize them as honest mediators. Moreover, American papers should first publish the Pope's letter to Cardinal Gibbons before speaking in an official manner of its contents, which obviously are unknown to them.'"

**Nation on Side of Liberty and Should End Oppression, Baron Rosen Declares.**

LONDON, Sept. 6.—In a dispatch from Petrograd, Reuter's correspondent says: "Speaking before the council of Empire Baron Rosen, former Russian Ambassador to the United States, declared that it was the duty of the Legislature to take initiative in introducing bills abolishing all legislation restricting the rights of Jews and the law concerning restriction" adherence to the State and Federal constitutions.

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**Baron Rosen pointed out that in January, 1914, when an international outbreak was imminent, he urged the House to give its serious attention to the necessity for radical changes in Russia's internal policy. At that time the majority in the House, perplexed by the appeal, treated it with sarcasm. As a result, the European war overtook Russia, when she was unprepared, both as regards her military and the internal structure of the state.**

**Memphis Grocer Assassinated.**  
MEMPHIS, Tenn., Sept. 6.—Finis W. Hammons, a grocer, was shot and killed from a clump of trees just outside his grocery store in the outskirts of the city tonight. Hammons was alone in the store at the time. Officers met a negro running and placed him under arrest. The motive for the killing is believed to have been robbery.

**Hurricane Wrecks Schooner; 8 Lost.**  
MOBILE, Ala., Sept. 6.—The fishing schooner John B. Whilden was wrecked with the loss of eight of her crew, near Tarpon Springs, by the West Indian hurricane that struck the Florida coast on Saturday. Charles Boss, the only survivor, clung to the wreckage until picked up by a lighthouse keeper at Post St. Joe.

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## WOMAN HIT BY AUTOMOBILE DIES FROM INJURIES

Mrs. Carrie Wadelmann's Skull  
Was Fractured in Accident  
Saturday Night.

Mrs. Carrie Wadelmann, 50 years old, a widow, of 468 Itaska street, died this morning at the city hospital from injuries received Saturday night when knocked down by an automobile just after she had stepped from a south-bound Cherokee street car at Gravois avenue and Itaska street.

Grover Hess, 23 years old, of 278 South Jefferson avenue, who drove the automobile, is at liberty under a common-law bond he gave Saturday night to answer a charge of felonious wounding. An order for his arrest, pending a coroner's inquest, was issued after Mrs. Wadelmann's death.

Hess was driving south on Gravois avenue. A witness told the police he was going at very high speed. In the car with him were Miss Julia Hein, 19, and Miss Corinne Coppinger, 18, both of 1723 South Jefferson avenue, and Charles Staehlin, 21, of 1734 Missouri avenue. Hess and Staehlin are married.

Mrs. Wadelmann had left the street car at Itaska street and had started to the west sidewalk when struck by the automobile. After hitting her, the police reported, the machine ran into an ironrolley pole, smashing the windshield and fenders and jolting the occupants.

Mrs. Wadelmann was picked up unconscious and carried to a physician's office in the neighborhood. Miss Hein and Miss Coppinger also were taken there. From there all three were taken in an ambulance to the city hospital.

Physicians at the hospital found that Mrs. Wadelmann's skull was fractured. She had been cut on the face, hands and legs. She was unconscious for several hours. Miss Hein was cut on the scalp and elbow, but Miss Coppinger was only bruised and shaken.

The police arrested Hess when he returned to the scene about an hour after the accident. He is a decorator. The machine he was driving is owned by Oscar R. McHughes of 1817 La Salle street.

Mrs. Wadelmann lived with her brother, William Schoedel. She had been visiting friends and was returning home.

**AUTO PLUNGES THROUGH WALL**  
Richard McCulloch's Car Dashed Down Incline in Olive Street Garage.

An automobile belonging to Richard McCulloch, president of the United Railways Association, was the victim of the second floor of the St. Louis Auto Top Co.'s garage, 3127 Olive street, this morning, and fell into the alley.

Mitchell Toulouse, an employee of the company, who was in charge of the car, escaped injury by jumping. The car was being taken to the second floor on an incline and was at the top when Toulouse lost control of it.

**FIRST MILITARY CAMP CLOSED**  
Second Course in Instruction Will Begin Wednesday at Plattsburg.

PLATTSBURG, N. Y., Sept. 6.—The first military camp of instruction for business and professional men under the direction of the War Department was closed here yesterday with a final review of the men by Major-General Leonard Wood. More than 1000 men attended.

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is one that assists Nature. Regular and natural action of the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels will keep you well and fit, and this action is promoted by

## BEECHAM'S PILLS

The Largest Sale of Any Medicine in the World. Sold everywhere. In boxes, 10c., 25c.

## OLD AGE A CRIME!

Some people are young at 60—red-cheeked, rosy and vigorous. Others are old at 40—jaundiced, listless, and a bit of a twinge of rheumatism in the back; feel tired without cause, and possibly a twinge of rheumatism in the back; feel tired without cause, and possibly a twinge of rheumatism in the back.

In most cases, these are the danger signals to warn you that the kidneys are not promptly doing their work of throwing off the poisons that are always forming in the body. To neglect these warning signals is a crime against yourself. If you have these symptoms, get a prompt relief in GOLD MEDAL, KIDNEY PILLS, CASSELL'S.

For more than 20 years this has been the recognized remedy for kidney and bladder ailments.

GOLD MEDAL, KIDNEY PILLS, CASSELL'S are imported direct from the laboratory of Dr. J. C. Cassell, and are sold at 50c. and \$1.00. Get them at your druggist. Do not take a substitute.

Post-Dispatch Wants will include the requests of good cooks and domestics. Capable workers will find the Want ads the best medium for advertising their talents.



# ANNOUNCING The STIX-BAER-FULLER TWENTY THIRD ANNIVERSARY SALE

Which Will Begin Tuesday, September 7th, at 8:30 A. M.

## Read the Story of the Sale

It is a human interest story—full of interesting news, extraordinary news—it pertains to you, to everybody. It tells of the most brilliant merchandising achievement in our history. It brings glad tidings to everyone with a merchandise need. Strong words these, we realize that, but they are fully justified by facts.

### The History of S. B. & F. Anniversary Sale

The house of Stix, Baer & Fuller was founded in September, 1892, and in a spirit of enthusiasm for its great success during the first year, held an Anniversary Sale. The paramount idea was value-giving, and so this birthday feature has grown greater year after year, until today it has become an institution, and many thousands look forward to this event, because they realize it is a remarkable OPPORTUNITY.

### The 23rd Anniversary Sale

#### And Its Surpassing Achievements

In preparing for the twenty-third Anniversary Sale, we determined to eclipse all previous records, to establish new ones that will give us a higher mark to aim at in the years to come. Our buying organization was keyed up to the highest pitch. Absolute orders were issued that they must have the best and most desirable new Fall merchandise for this sale—must have larger quantities than ever before, and that every article must be offered to the public at a price that is much less than usual. Our buyers received enthusiastic co-operation from manufacturers—many of them were more than liberal. It was their birthday present to us, which we fully appreciate, because it aids us in making greater concessions to you.

*We know of no parallel for this occasion. It is our belief that no other house has ever made such extensive and careful preparations for a sale. To the public it means*

## A \$100,000 Birthday Present

*—in the form of savings on new, clean, fresh Fall Merchandise of the most desirable character*

### A Priceless Advertisement

THERE are no prices mentioned in this advertisement because it would be impossible to describe the 1262 special lots of merchandise in this sale, and it would be unjust to omit any of them—they are all important. Many features are of such vast importance they deserve a page for themselves. We would like to cite examples—to give you a few price hints here and there. There are bargains awaiting you the mere mention of which would arouse your greatest enthusiasm and bring you here bright and early Tuesday morning, but the news must not be printed here it would be unfair to the other departments—that have bargains just as wonderful, and so this must be a priceless advertisement, just as this sale will be a priceless advertisement for the establishment.

### Look for the Orange Tickets

ORANGE-COLORED tickets will designate the special merchandise that is being offered in this Anniversary Sale.

### Five Jubilee Days

We are going to make these five days the greatest in our history. The whole organization is primed for the occasion. We have better values than ever before, and undoubtedly will have a larger attendance.

### Orange Tickets Everywhere

IN every department you will find these Orange Colored Tickets, each of which designates an extraordinary bargain. Be sure to visit every department in the store—from the Sixth Floor down to the Basement, for unless you do, you may miss some of the best offerings in the Anniversary Sale.

### What This Occasion Means

THE economical people will take full advantage of this occasion, and supply their every Fall and Winter requirement. Women, misses and children—men and boys can be outfitted from head to foot in the newest and most desirable Fall styles, and save a substantial sum on their purchases. Every home need—furniture, draperies, carpets, linens, blankets, bedding and the little articles that are everyday household necessities, will be offered at extraordinary savings. In a word, it is an occasion that supplies practically every need at prices that will make this sale live in the memory of all who attend.

### A Tour of Inspection

#### Every Article Passed by a Board of Censors

This sale has been heralded far and wide in the most glowing terms. We know you will expect wonderful bargains, and we have taken the utmost precaution that there shall be no disappointments. Every article has passed a most rigid inspection before it received the orange-colored ticket which labels it as an Anniversary Special. The Board of Censors was composed of executives of this establishment—men who know merchandise and values—who fully realize the serious injury our reputation would sustain if other than extraordinary values were so labeled.

### Concerning the Merchandise

#### Its Character and Its Desirability

There is one feature in connection with this sale that we want to emphasize—everything is NEW. Not a single article has been shown before. Among the staples there are, of course, goods carried in stock the year round, which are of standard quality, but even these goods are new, fresh from the mills, and all priced below present market quotations. The apparel and the many dress accessories in this sale are new, up-to-the-minute in style—the very things you want this Fall and Winter—the goods you would select for yourself and every member of your family, and there is a broad and satisfactory range for choosing, and large quantities in every department.

### Everything in Readiness

WE would like to impart to you the spirit of this occasion—we would like to have you feel the intense interest displayed by all of our employees. Their enthusiasm is unbounded—they know what wonderful merchandise values we have prepared, and each individual experiences the thrill of satisfaction that comes with being identified with a huge success.

### Early Shopping an Advantage

ALTHOUGH this sale will last for five days, there is a marked advantage in being here Tuesday morning at 8:30 o'clock—the sale begins at that time. All of our people are ready and eager to serve you. The stocks are all nicely arranged. Selection will be a simple matter. Service will be prompt and unusually efficient. When you come to the store Tuesday, go directly to the departments that you are interested in, and we will warrant that you will find the very merchandise that you are seeking at lower prices than you expected to pay.

### Pertinent Paragraphs

#### Pertaining to the 23rd Anniversary Sale

¶ Ninety-six distinctive stores combine to make this great establishment, and each one has done its utmost to make the Anniversary Sale a huge success.

¶ There are 1262 special lots of merchandise in this sale, which will be sold at prices that mean a saving of \$100,000 to the public.

¶ Nearly 3000 employees who are thoroughly imbued with the spirit of the occasion, will be ready to give you their best service.

¶ The Anniversary Sale merchandise will be designated by orange-colored tickets. Every article that bears this ticket has passed a rigid inspection, and the value is sufficiently great to be termed an Anniversary Special.

¶ Eighty-three buyers traveled nearly 250,000 miles, or a distance of ten times around the globe, to secure the merchandise for this Anniversary Sale.

¶ 426 express shipments and 364 freight shipments of merchandise were received for this Anniversary Sale.

¶ Three hundred employees have been busy for more than two weeks unpacking and pricing the merchandise.

¶ Every article of merchandise in this sale will be on display for the first time Tuesday morning at 8:30 o'clock.

**Stix, Baer & Fuller**  
GRAND LEADER SIXTH WASHINGTON SEVENTH & LUCAS SAINT LOUIS

### A Special Luncheon at 50c

—will be served in the Restaurant between the hours of 11:30 and 2. An exceptionally good menu has been prepared for tomorrow, and, in fact, for every day of the Anniversary Sale.

Mr. Gus Haenschen, the Popular Pianist  
also Miss Mary Wade, Soprano, in the Restaurant every day (Sixth Floor.)



Falls asleep on street; Robbed. Henry Deibel of 3228 South Jefferson avenue fell asleep while waiting for a car at Broadway and Clark avenue last night. When he awoke he found he had been robbed of a watch and chain.

## WOMEN CAN HARDLY BELIEVE

How Mrs. Hurley Was Restored to Health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

"I was troubled with female ailments. For two years I could not stand on my feet long at a time and I could not walk two blocks without enduring cutting and drawing pains down my right side which increased gradually. I have been at times purple in the face and would walk the floor. I could not lie down or sit still sometimes for a day and a night at a time. I was nervous, and had very little appetite, and ambition, melancholy and often felt as though I had not a friend in the world. After I had tried most every female remedy without success, my mother-in-law advised me to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I did so and gained in strength every day. I have now no trouble in any way and highly praise your medicine. It advertised itself."—MRS. S. T. HURLEY, Eldon, Missouri.

Remember, the remedy which did this was Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. For sale everywhere.

It has helped thousands of women who have been troubled with tumors, backache, sleeplessness, indigestion and nervous prostration, after all other means have failed. Why don't you try it? Lydia E. Pinkham's Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass.

## 18 GOOD REASONS WHY YOU SHOULD BUY AT Schaper TOMORROW

- 10c Pillowcases. Size 42x54, made of a good quality bleached domestic flannel, neatly hemmed; Tuesday (Main Floor)..... 5c
- Little Gents' Shoes. Made of gunmetal; blucher style; 10c value; value (Main Floor)..... 85c
- \$1.50 Lace Curtains. Very fine scrim, inserted and lace edged; regular size; white and ivory flues; only special; 12c value (Main Floor)..... 88c
- 6c and 7 1/2c Emb. 3 to 5 inch embroidery and insertion; in dainty patterns (Main Floor)..... 2 1/2c
- Inverted Gas Light. The Fringed Inverted Gas Light, complete with burner and mantle (Third Floor)..... 39c
- English Longcloth. One yard wide; fine for infant blue and other wearing apparel; per yard (Basement)..... 5c
- \$1 Shirt Waists. In velvets and orlons, lace and embroidery trimmed; all sizes (Second Floor)..... 41c
- Child's 15c Hose. Double heels and toes; black and white (Main Floor)..... 6c
- \$3 Mattress. Heavy felt-top mattress, encased in best quality striped ticking; 4 1/2 ft. full size (Third Floor)..... 1.44
- Hemstitched Scrim. 24 inches wide, in 2 to 7 yard lengths; in assortment of patterns; 10c value per yard (Basement)..... 3 1/2c
- 40c Silk Foulard. Of the very best make; in wanted shades; special; Tuesday (Main Floor)..... 29c
- 35c Corset Covers. About 50 doz., nicely trimmed with embroidery and Valenciennes lace; special at (Main Floor)..... 19c
- 40c Jap. Matting. Cut from full rolls, in red, green, blue and black; heavy; specially priced Tuesday (3d Floor)..... 17 1/2c
- 75c School Dresses. In percale, flanne and chambray; colors; neatly trimmed; sizes 4 to 14 (3d Floor)..... 39c
- Men's 50c Unwear. New Fall Underwear, in a medium weight rib; all sizes; extra color (Main Floor)..... 39c
- 50c Face Powder. Java Rice Face Powder; with rice powder, in flesh and white; special; Tuesday (3d Floor)..... 29c
- 50c Muslin Gowns. Made of extra good muslin and nicely trimmed (Basement)..... 25c
- Garbage Cans. 50c Galvanized Garbage Cans, with airtight cover; special..... 28c

## OPERATOR FALLS TO HIS DEATH IN COAL MINE SHAFT

Body of Ernest Abend of Belleville Wedged Between Cage and Wall.

A plunge of more than 100 feet, down the shaft of the Abend coal mine, one mile north of Belleville, killed Ernest Abend, 44 years old, president of the Abend Coal Co. and one of the wealthiest residents of Belleville, yesterday afternoon. The fall is supposed to have been accidental.

Abend went to the mine yesterday morning to direct the work of safeguarding the lower parts against seepage of water from the upper levels. He went home to dinner, and returned at 3:30. He went from the engine room toward the shaft. Soon afterward Frank Ockner, holding engineer, saw the safety gate of the shaft open. He then got a signal from below to raise the cage. It brought Abend's body up, accompanied by two of the mine bosses. They had found the body wedged between the cage and the wall of the shaft. A steel bar had crushed the head, and the neck was broken.

Abend was unmarried. His mother, Mrs. Anna H. Abend, survives him, and he had a brother, Edward, and two sisters, Mrs. Frank M. Rumbold and Miss Lina A. Bay, both of the Buckingham Hotel, St. Louis. His father, the late Edward Abend, was founder of the Belleville Savings Bank.

## MAN WITH REVOLVER TRIES TO FORCE WAY INTO GIRLS' ROOM

Athletic Instructor for Police Department Subdues Rejected Suitor in Market Street Hotel.

Stephen Lavalle, 33 years old, or 1214 Pine street, went to the hotel conducted by Joseph Miller at 1100 Market street at 7 o'clock this morning and told Miller that he wanted to see Miss Isabelle Moore, a guest. Fearing trouble Miller told the visitor that Miss Moore was not stopping at the hotel. Lavalle drew a revolver and, pushing Miller aside, went to the third floor apartments of Robert Webster and his daughter. The latter is a chum of Miss Moore and the two occupy the same room. Lavalle entered Webster's room and demanded to see Miss Moore. He flourished the revolver and threatened to shoot. He told Webster that Miss Moore had promised to marry him and that he was going to make her keep her word.

Webster tried to take the revolver from Lavalle and while the two were scuffling Miller ran across the street to the central dispensary and summoned a policeman. Patrolman Oscar Friede, athletic instructor for the Police Department, slipped up behind Lavalle and, getting a hold on him, forced the revolver from his hands. Lavalle then turned on the policeman with his fists and the two fought all over the room. Both required medical treatment when Friede finally got the upper hand.

Lavalle was taken to central station. He said he formerly kept company with Miss Moore and that he spent more than \$500 on gifts for her. She had promised to marry him, he said, but recently sent word to him that she had changed her mind.

Rosa-Gould Removed to 210 Olive St. Mailing lists, facsimile letters, addressing

## STOREKEEPER ROBBED 2 WEEKS AGO, IDENTIFIES HOLDUP MEN

Pair Caught After Robbery Yesterday Confesses—Money and Checks Found in Pocket of One.

Charles Meyer, 23 years old, of 1021 Shelby place, who, with Reuben Bass, 23, of 3824 Bell avenue, was arrested yesterday morning following a holdup in the meat market of Louis Sorokin, 2121 Carr street, was identified by Reuben Rabitz, proprietor of a store at 2701 Mills street, as the man who had held him up two weeks ago.

Police men had chased Meyer and Bass from Sorokin's shop to the basement of a house at 2815 Mills street and were taking the prisoners to the Dayton Street Station when Rabitz, who was sweeping the sidewalk in front of his store, espied Meyer.

"Don't let him go, officer; don't let him go," shouted Rabitz, as he dropped his broom and shook his fists in Meyer's face. "he's the robber that held up my store and took \$4 from the cash drawer." Shortly after the arrest Bass' mother ran weeping into the police station. She declared the police had made a mistake, saying that her son had reformed since serving a sentence at the reform school. When he confessed in her presence she collapsed. A check for \$2.50, stolen from Sorokin's cash drawer, was in Meyer's possession. He also had \$1.50. Sorokin said the robbers took \$3.50 from his pocket and the check and \$2 from the cash drawer.

## NEW RULES FOR CIRCUIT COURT

Judge Wilson Taylor to Assign All Cases for a Year.

The new rules of the Circuit Court which were designed to expedite litigation in civil cases become effective tomorrow. Judge Wilson Taylor, selected to assign cases for a period of one year, will sit in Division No. 1. When a case is ready for trial he will send it to another court to be taken up without delay. He also will decide preliminary matters on questions of pleadings and will make emergency orders.

Eight courts will hear nothing but jury cases. The remaining two civil divisions will be used for non-jury cases, including divorce suits.

Many Injured in Trolley Collision. SANDUSKY, O., Sept. 6.—From 40 to 50 persons were injured yesterday when two interurban trains collided on the Lake Shore Electric road. An east-bound limited crashed into a westbound local at Sage's siding near Huron. There were no fatalities.

Man Chases Away Three Thieves. Three men tried to get into the butcher shop of Arthur Hirschburger, 312 Bremen avenue, at 2 o'clock this morning. Two were lifting the third man into a transom over the front door when they broke the glass panel in the door. The

crash of glass awakened Louis Amelung, who lives above the butcher shop, and he chased them away.

No Deposit Required. From residence customers for Union Electric Light & Power Co. Service.

Thinks Robber Was Woman. Mrs. Gertrude Harris of 1233A Blackstone avenue believes the robber who ransacked her home yesterday was a woman. The loot consisted of women's wearing apparel, hand-painted china and several Japanese ornaments.

Auto Stolen and Recovered. An automobile belonging to August P. Puhman, 328 North Broadway, was stolen from in front of a theater at Fourteenth and Locust streets last night and was recovered later at Ewing and Lucas avenues.

Sunshine Joy Club Raided. Eleven members of the Sunshine Joy Club, Fifteenth and Walnut streets, were arrested in a raid yesterday afternoon. The police confiscated 84 bottles of beer, a half barrel of beer and 16 small tin buckets.

Hussung "Getz" the Bugs! Photo Olive 1233. 1130 Pine St.

**Women's New Gloves**  
Women's new one-clasp Washable Kid Gloves in tan and sand color and particularly adapted for street wear. The pair, \$1.50  
Women's new Strap-wrist Washable Cape Gloves in the Ivory shade. The pair, \$1.50  
First Floor.

Store Hours 8:30 A. M. to 6 P. M. Established in 1850 Store Hours 8:30 A. M. to 6 P. M.



**Scruggs-Vanderwoort-Barney**  
OLIVE and LOCUST from NINTH to TENTH  
The Best Goods for the Price No Matter What the Price

**Visit Our Tea Room**  
Our Tea Room is as fine a place to lunch as there is in St. Louis—the food, the service and the location are unsurpassed and the prices are exceedingly moderate.

## Many New Autumn Fashion Features Are Now to Be Found in This Great St. Louis-Owned-Store of More Than 100 Specialty Shops

### Many New Blouses Favored by Fashion Have Arrived

Among the Blouses for the new Fall season are those of lovely laces, filmy Georgette crepes and lustrous crepe de chimes, all of which are highly favored by Fashion.

Our variety of styles is so extensive that we have only room enough to describe four of these new models.

One is a pretty Blouse of Voile with tucks, lace and embroidery trimmings; finished with high collar and long sleeves. Price \$4

Another new Blouse is made of Georgette crepe and has an embroidered front; choice of any shade or size. Price \$5

A third model is a jersey-silk Tailored Blouse fashioned on new lines and is washable; white only. Price \$6

The fourth Blouse is of soft white taffeta made in semi-tailored effect with deep yoke, long sleeves and turnback cuffs; hemstitched. Price \$8.50

Third Floor.

### Women's Separate Skirts for Fall

Included in our new Fall lines of Women's Separate Skirts you will find some inexpensive ones made from the new Scotch mixtures, black-and-white velours, checks, serge, gabardine, poplin and whipcord. These include some of the best of the new tailored models and are priced \$4.95 and \$5.95

Third Floor.

### Dainty, New Fall Neckfixings

Much new and dainty Neckwear, fresh from the hands of the designers, foreshadowing the styles which will be in effect during the coming season, is now being shown.

Collars, Collar and Cuff Sets and Semi-Guimpes, which will appeal to every woman, may be had in a wide diversity of new models. 50c to \$5

First Floor.

### The New Drawer Combinations That Will Be in Favor for Fall

Tomorrow, we shall feature Women's Drawer Combinations that represent the new modes for Fall. Included in this display will be found—

Women's Drawer Combinations trimmed with several different patterns of wide embroidery insertion and with Val lace edging and insertion; ribbon-drawn. Special at 69c

Another new Drawer Combination is of nainsook with organza medallions and Val lace insertion and edging. Price \$2.25

Third Floor.

### The New Sorosis Shoes for Fall Are of the Highest Character

Our Specialty Shops devoted to Women's Footwear are showing many exclusive Fall models which will appeal to discriminating women. They represent the result of many months' thought and earnest effort to provide fashionable footwear of an unusual type and high character for your approval.

The new Midnight Blue Button Boots, stitched with white, are creations worth the consideration of the most exacting women in St. Louis.

Our line of Sorosis Shoes for women at \$5 has never been more complete as to materials and shapes than it is this season.

Second Floor.

### Women's Union Suits at Special Prices

A special lot of women's extra-size fine-ribbed Union Suits—low neck, sleeveless and in knee length, worth 59c a suit, are specially priced at 39c

Women's fine-ribbed Union Suits—sizes 5 and 6—in the low-neck, sleeveless and knee-length style—regular 35c quality, are specially priced at 23c

Third Floor.

### A Switch for \$1.25 From Your Own Combings

This unusual offer is limited to only those who leave their orders here tomorrow. \$1.25 for making Switches.

Bring your combings with you. As a companion Special Offer, we shall sell beautiful All-around Transformations, made of soft, wavy hair, for \$3.45

Third Floor.

### Figured Mull Comforts

Figured Silk-Mull Comforts, with a 9-inch plain mull border and back. These Comforts are filled with lamb's wool and are 72x84 inches in size. Price \$7.50

Second Floor.

### The New Suits for Autumn Reveal Many Different Styles

So wide is the range of styles this season that a woman may select her new Autumn Tailored Suit entirely with a view to its becomingness.

The collars of the new coats, and they are decidedly a factor, may be military or flaring, while there are many different lengths from which to choose. The loose-hanging, "boxy" coat is decidedly swagger with its touches of braid on both coat and skirt. The "blousy" ultra models show touches of rich embroidery, while some of the tailored coats have the ripple-flare.

Such materials as broadcloths, gabardine, serges, wool poplin, checks and mixtures are high in favor, while the shades most in demand are navy, African brown, green, etc., as well as black.

Priced Upwards From \$22.50  
Third Floor.

### Many Becoming Fall Coats for Women Are Now on Display

Our Women's Coat Specialty Shop is displaying a notable collection of Fall models, fashioned on extremely graceful, flaring lines. The collars are wide and the cuffs deep, while the shoulders are cut in the raglan style and with set-in sleeves.

We have Coats suitable for automobiling and general wear of Bolivia cloth, serges, wool velours, broadcloths, corduroys, plaids and mixtures.

Priced Upwards From \$15  
Third Floor.

### The New Serge-and-Silk Frocks Are Proving Very Popular for Fall

A number of the popular new Serge-and-Silk Frocks for women will be shown tomorrow for the first time. Among the many good things which we are offering in Serge Frocks are some for street and general wear, which range upward from \$15

Women's Afternoon Frocks of crepe, satin and taffeta, in a splendid variety of new styles, range upward in price from \$17.50

One very pretty and inexpensive Serge Frock is made on loose plaited lines from yoke of the bodice and is held at the hipline by an effective military belt. Very special at \$15.00

Third Floor.

### Begin Your Fall Planting Now and Let Our Floral Shop Help You

Our Floral Department offers the following suggestions for planting hardy Perennials, Trees and Grass Seed, and we are prepared to supply you with anything listed below at very reasonable prices.

In September you should plant Lawn Seed, also Peonies, German Iris, Hardy Phlox, Bleeding Heart and Lilium Candidum.

In October and November you should plant Maple, Horse Chestnut, Catalpa and Flowering Cherry Trees, and the Red Bud, White Fringe, Enonymus, Fraxinus Ash, Kentucky Coffee, Halesia, Koeleria, Poplars, Flowering Crab, Salix, Linden and Elm Trees, and all varieties of Ornamental Shrubs with but few exceptions.

Our stock of Lawn Seed is especially large and we recommend Fall sowing. This seed is specially priced at 2 pounds for 25c

Basement.

## A Remarkable Sale of Men's Pyjamas Will Begin Here Tomorrow

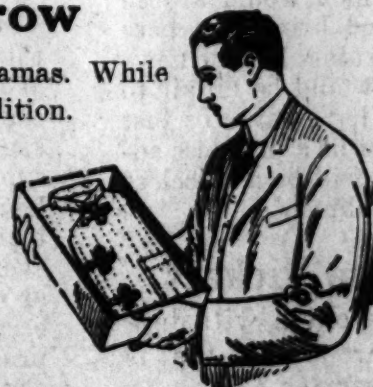
In this sale are just 1716 Suits of Men's fine Pyjamas. While they are samples, nearly every suit is in perfect condition.

All of the most desirable fabrics—except pure silk—are represented and they are beautifully made, full cut and are trimmed with silk frogs. Some have military collar, others V-shape neck. They are the correct weight for wear the year around.

We do not believe that you have ever had such a wonderful opportunity to buy such high-grade Pyjamas at such a ridiculously low price, and shrewd buyers will not be content with less than two or three suits.

We have them in sizes A, B and C, while there is quite an assortment in size D for the extra large man.

Choice 95c a Suit  
Values up to \$2.50 a Suit  
First Floor.



### Special Demonstration of New Bien-Jolie Corsets

Before purchasing your outer apparel for Fall, be sure to attend the demonstration of the qualities of the new Bien-Jolie—popularly known as the "B. & J."—Corsets and Brassieres, which is in charge of Mrs. Jones, a representative who comes to us direct from the designing room of the B. & J. factory.

New Bien-Jolie Corset—model 2195—is of pink and white broche with lace trimmings. It has medium high bust and six firm hose supporters attached; sizes 23 to 30. The pair \$5

New Bien-Jolie Corset—model 2230—is of pink silk broche and is trimmed with lace and ribbon. It has six hose supporters attached and comes in sizes 23 to 28. The pair \$10

Other B. & J. Corsets, \$3.50 to \$15  
Third Floor.

### New Chiffon Broadcloth

An entirely new shipment of Chiffon Broadcloth, in all of the approved shades for Autumn, including African brown, forest green, Apollo blue, prune, taupe, Men's wear or Midnight blue, navy and black, has been received.

These broadcloths are 50 inches wide, and having been sponged and shrunk, they are ready now for the needle. We wish to emphasize the fact that they are an extraordinary value at our price of the yard \$1.50

Second Floor.

### Fur and Other Trimmings

In our Trimming Specialty Shop, we have on display an exceptional collection of Fur Trimmings in all of the most desirable kinds, such as Black, White and Blue Fox, Krimmer, Beaver, Skunk, Seal and many others which are now so much in demand. All are very reasonably priced.

Spangled Bead and Metal Trimmings—such as Plumes, Galleons, Bands, etc., are offered in a large variety of beautiful designs and colors, at the yard \$1 to \$10

First Floor.

### Offers From Our Lace Shop

In our Lace Shop we are offering a splendid line of Crepe Georgette in all colors, as well as in white, black and flesh color. The yard \$1.50, \$1.75 and \$2

As colored Nets promise to be one of the features for evening wear the coming season, we have assembled a most complete stock of these in all of the evening shades in both silk and cotton. They are priced, the yard 50c to \$2.25

First Floor.

### The New Hair Bow Ribbon Suitable for School Wear

We are making a splendid showing of Hair-Bow Ribbons, which are particularly suitable for school wear. They come in white, pink, light blue, cardinal, navy, old rose and black, at the following prices:

5-in. Moire Ribbons, the yard, 19c | 5-in. Moire Ribbon, the yard, 29c  
6-inch Moire Ribbons, the yard 39c

Brocade Hair-Bows and Sash Ribbons to match, may be had in white, pink and light blue.

4 inches wide, yard, 29c  
6 inches wide, yard, 39c

5-inch Plaid Ribbons—excellent quality—are offered at the yard, 39c. We are also prepared to make all kinds of Ribbon Novelties to your order.

First Floor.

### The New Corduroys at \$1 Are Ready

There is no more desirable material for women's coats, coat suits and separate skirts, or for girls' and misses' school frocks, than Corduroy.

We have just received a large shipment of this popular fabric in the medium-size cord and the latest Fall shades, as well as black. It is 27 inches wide and is one of the most serviceable fabrics obtainable. We are offering a special value at the yard \$1

Second Floor.

### From Our Notion Shop

New Inside Belting that is shaped to the waist—1 1/4 to 3 inches wide; white or black. The yard 15c and 20c

Warren's Negligee Stockinet Girdle in all waist measurements and with hose supporters attached. Price 85c

Gallith Buttons—a new and complete line—in the square, oblong and ball shapes and all sizes; black and white. Prices, the dozen 15c to \$1.25

O. N. T. Mercerized Crochet Cotton in white and ecru; all sizes. Price, the ball 10c

The box 95c  
"I-Need-You" Buttonhole Worker will assist in making a neat and straight buttonhole. Price 15c

Lawn Bias Seam Tape—sizes 1 to 6. Price, a 12-yard piece for 10c

First Floor.



## Women's \$1.00 Silk Hosiery

These are slight irregulars of standard \$1.00 Silk Hosiery, and besides the usual solid colors, the sale includes a goodly quantity of fancy clocked and embroidered dotted hosiery. Some garter tops are all-silk and some are lisle. The colors include black, white, gray, suede, taupe, bronze, tan, putty, sand, sky and pink. Sizes 8½ to 10.

**69c**  
(Main Floor.)

**Nugents**

**Tumblers Engraved Free**  
Thin-blown Glass Tumblers, either plain or Colonial pressed style, with any initial engraved free,  
**6 for 29c**

## Store Hours:

Beginning tomorrow, and until further notice, our store will open at 8:30 and close at 5:30



## A Fall Suit Sale

\$20.00, \$25.00 and  
\$30.00 SUITS,  
**\$16.75**

300 handsome Sample Suits, presenting beautiful models of the latest type—garments that will add grace and distinction to every figure. Materials are the best that money and judgement can produce. Suits with Marten trimmings and other beautiful designs.

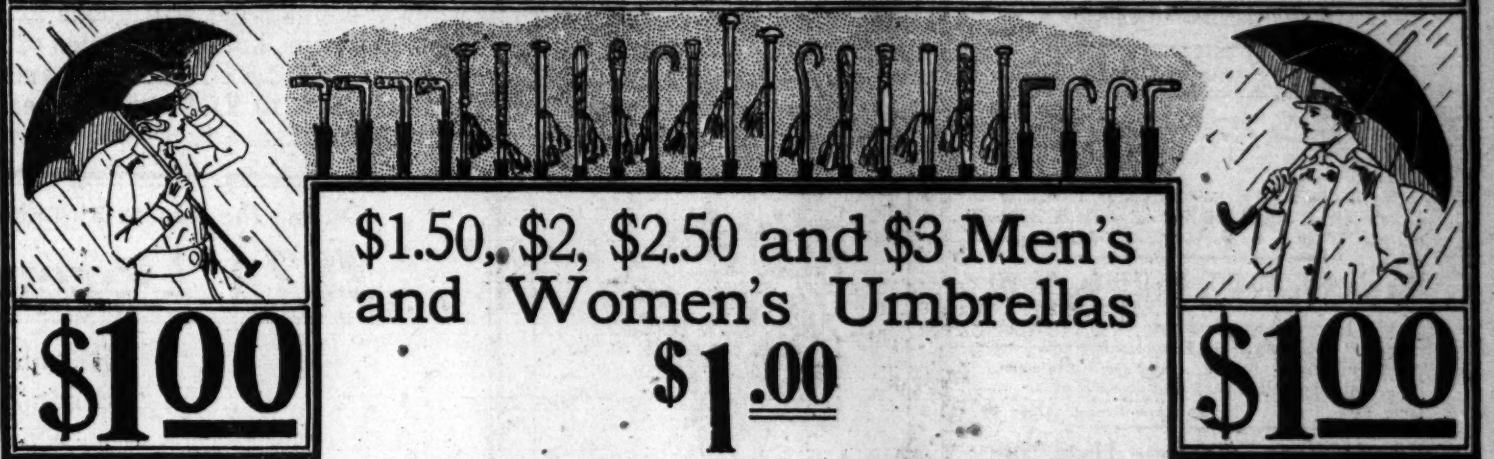
The materials include Broadcloth, Whipcord, Gabardine, Poplin, Seger, Mixtures, Tweeds, etc.; semi-fitted and loose back coats, flare skirts.

Misses' sizes 16 and 18 and sizes 36 to 44.

Colors navy, green, brown, plum and plenty of black.

(Second Floor.)

## \$100 SEPTEMBER UMBRELLA SALE \$100



\$1.50, \$2, \$2.50 and \$3 Men's  
and Women's Umbrellas  
**\$1.00**

There are just 2500 Umbrellas in this sale, 1700 women's and 800 men's. We bought sample lines of handles of several prominent manufacturers and had them made up. The cloth is the best grade American taffeta. It is known as No. 1 and is positively guaranteed to be rainproof and will not split. It has a beautiful corded and taped edge. We selected this cloth instead of a cheap silk, which we could have had, because this cloth will absolutely give satisfaction, and cheap silk will not.

The frames are the best paragon crucible steel with seven ribs. The handles are as follows:

### WOMEN'S

230 fancy sterling and 20-year guaranteed gold plate.  
238 sterling silver caps, in a variety of designs.  
529 German silver trims, plain and carved ebonine and mission.  
100 German silver and gold plated, fancy handles.  
220 fine natural woods and missions, both plain and hand carved.  
332 plain and carved missions.  
51 imported hand-carved, fancy shapes.

### MEN'S

67 fine natural woods, plain and carved.  
52 fine fancy 20-year guaranteed gold plate and sterling silver trims.  
140 small German silver trims, on a variety of woods.  
351 best German silver and sterling silver trims.  
100 Boxwoods.  
90 plain and carved missions.

(Main Floor.)



## Bath Towels 25c

Bleach Bath Towels, large size and very absorbent, with French knot embroidered initial in blue or red; fast colors; a very exceptional value.

50c Towels, 39c  
Large-size hemstitched Huck Towels with damask border; pure linen.

**Barnsley Toweling, 17c**  
For Tuesday only we offer this especially good value! full 18 inches wide, fast color, red border.

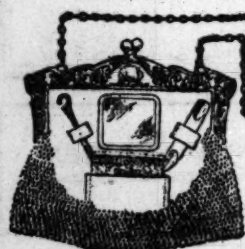
**59c Damask, 35c**  
72-inch highly mercerized cotton Table Damask, extra heavy, beautiful pattern.

**\$1.25 Damask, \$1.00**  
Pure linen double satin Damask, full 72 inches wide, a remarkable value.

**\$3.00 Tablecloths, \$2.25**  
Bleached satin damask pattern Tablecloths, 2x2-yard size, floral patterns.

**Dinner Napkins, \$3.00 Dozen**  
Irish satin damask 22-inch Napkins, spot pattern, extra good quality.

(Main Floor.)



## Mesh Bags Made New, \$1.00

In response to the many requests of our customers, we will tomorrow take any mesh bag, no matter how badly broken and damaged, the one you have discarded, and will repair it, silver plate it and reline it with a fitted kid lining, containing a mirror, nail file, button hook, powder puff and extra change pocket. In other words, we will take your old, out-of-date bag and make it into a stylish new mesh bag.

(Main Floor.)

## Star Cut Glasses, 20c



A very exceptional offering of the new Star Cut pattern. Every glass perfect.

The styles include: Footed Sherbets, Rhine Wines, Saucer Champagnes, Cocktails, Ice Tea Tumblers and Goblets; also heavy sham bottom Water Tumblers. Choice of each... **20c**

(Main Floor.)

## Basement Bargains

**10c Apron Lawn, 7c**  
40-inch plain white Apron Lawn, very fine quality.

**8½c Muslin, 5c**  
39-inch, mill ends, fine quality brown Muslin.

**Pepperell Casing, 14c**  
45-inch bleached Pepperell Pillow Casing.

**15c Plisse Crepe, 10c**  
80-inch, mill ends, for gowns and underwear.

**Brown Toweling, 7½c**  
Mill ends of heavy linen Brown Toweling, 10c value.

**25c Table Damask, 17c**  
60-inch, mill ends, bleached Table Damask, 1½ to 3 yard lengths.

**30c Ticking, 19c**  
Best German Art Ticking in fancy printed stripes and floral patterns, 3 to 9 yard lengths.

**10c Percale, 7½c**  
36-inch, in white, black, gray, light Indigo and Indigo grounds with neat figures and stripes.

**Cheviot Shirting, 10c**  
27-inch new Shirting Cheviot, light and dark colors.

**9c Outing Flannel, 5c**  
26-inch Outing Flannel in the wanted stripes and colors.

**12½c Madras, 8½c**  
32-inch Amoskeag Madras, fancy and staple patterns, fast colors.

**10c Chambray, 7½c**  
32-inch fancy Dress Madras, fancy stripes, plaid and plain colors, 3 to 10 yard lengths.

**15c Dress Gingham, 10c**  
32-inch fine quality Dress Gingham, new Fall patterns and staples.

**Comfort Sateen, 19c**  
36-inch Sateen, light and dark grounds, floral patterns.

**New Comfort Cretonne, 10c**  
36-inch, white and colored grounds; floral and Persian patterns.

**65c Flannel, 45c**  
Embroidered Baby Flannel.

**\$15.00 Brussels Rugs, size 9x12, \$10.00**  
50c Feltonum, 2 yards wide, full rolls

**\$22.50 and \$25.00 Wilton Velvet Rugs**  
Size 9x12, one hundred in the lot, some slightly shaded, will wear fine... **\$14.95**

## Sale of Bigelow Rugs

We made a very fortunate purchase of several hundred of the celebrated Bigelow Wilton and Body Brussels Rugs, in the popular 9x12-ft. size. The patterns are all new and the Rugs have never been out of the original bales. The name is woven in the back of every Rug.

**\$32.50 Bigelow Body Brussels Rugs**  
Size 9x12 ft.  
**\$25.75**

**\$42.50 Bigelow Royal Wilton Rugs**  
Size 9x12 ft.  
**\$31.50**

(Third Floor.)

## Savings of One-Third on Linoleum

We obtained more than 100 rolls of standard Linoleum in an extraordinary purchase. We offer as a result perfect Linoleums in splendid styles at prices a full third lower than these identical qualities sell everywhere.

**NOTE:** Make a small deposit. We will hold your purchase until your Fall housecleaning.

**Lot No. 1—65c heavy quality Cork Linoleum, many patterns, 2 yards wide, square yard... 39c**

**Lot No. 3—75c Cork Linoleums, 4 yards wide, hardwood and tile patterns, square yard... 49c**

**Lot No. 2—75c Linoleums, 2 yards wide, square yard... 45c**

**Lot No. 4—\$1 Inlaid Linoleums, with colors clear through, square yard... 75c**

(Third Floor.)

## Blue Birds of New Fall Merchandise

Blue Bird No. 29,021—Tuesday Only.  
**25c Irish Poplin, 17½c**  
27 inches wide, in plain colors, rich mercerized silk finish.

Blue Bird No. 29,022—Tuesday Only.  
**25c Ticking, 17½c**  
32-inch sateen ticking, feather-proof, in fancy stripes.

Blue Bird No. 29,023—Tuesday Only.  
**65c Flannel, 50c**  
31-inch Shirting Flannel in fancy stripes and plain colors.

Blue Bird No. 29,024—Tuesday Only.  
**12½c Percale, 10c**  
Best quality percale, white and colored grounds in figures & stripes.

Blue Bird No. 29,025—Tuesday Only.  
**76c Satin, 55c**  
36-inch guaranteed lustrous satin, in plain colors.

Blue Bird No. 29,026—Tuesday Only.  
**\$1.50 Broadcloth, \$1.10**  
60-inch all-wool Chiffon Broadcloth, light weight; new Fall shades.

Blue Bird No. 29,027—Tuesday Only.  
**\$1.35 French Serge, \$1.00**  
54 inches wide, all-wool, medium weight, new Fall shades.

Blue Bird No. 29,028—Tuesday Only.  
**\$1.25 Storm Serge, 90c**  
54 inches wide, all-wool, good suiting weight, new Fall shades.

Blue Bird No. 29,029—Tuesday Only.  
**\$1.50 Faux Silk, \$1.10**  
36-inch Faux silk, standard quality, all colors.

Blue Bird No. 29,030—Tuesday Only.  
**\$2.50 Taffeta, \$1.65**  
40-inch best chiffon taffeta, all colors, soft finish.

Blue Bird No. 29,031—Tuesday Only.  
**\$2.50 Crepe Meteor, \$1.75**  
40 inches wide, new shades of midnight blue, bottle green, black.

Blue Bird No. 29,032—Tuesday Only.  
**\$1.50 Crepe de Chine, \$1.10**  
40-inch standard quality crepe de chine, all colors.

Blue Bird No. 29,033—Tuesday Only.  
**80c Cuspidors, 65c**  
All-base Cuspidors, fancy shape, highly polished.

Blue Bird No. 29,034—Tuesday Only.  
**Semi-porcelain, 10 to 18 inch sizes, decorated and gold traced.**

Blue Bird No. 29,035—Tuesday Only.  
**\$2.00 Fixtures, \$1.50**  
Wallace portable Electric Lamp Stands, hange, clamps or sticks.

Blue Bird No. 29,036—Tuesday Only.  
**\$1.00 Salad Bowls, 70c**  
Fancy German china, Dresden design, very attractive pattern.

Blue Bird No. 29,037—Tuesday Only.  
**25c Teapots, 18c**  
English earthen Teapots, fancy mottled or decorated design, 3 sizes.

Blue Bird No. 29,038—Tuesday Only.  
**\$1.25 Choppers, 85c**  
Universal Food Choppers, for chopping vegetables, fruits and meats.

Blue Bird No. 29,039—Tuesday Only.  
**\$1.00 Waffle Irons, 70c**  
High ring Waffle Irons, No. 3 size.

Blue Bird No. 29,040—Tuesday Only.  
**\$1.00 Wash Boilers, 70c**  
Heavy tin Wash Boilers, copper bottom, No. 3 size.

Blue Bird No. 29,041—Tuesday Only.  
**\$1.50 Mop Wringers, \$1.10**  
Mop Wringers and Pails, family size.

Blue Bird No. 29,042—Tuesday Only.  
**20c Toweling, 15c**  
Fast-color checked glass Toweling, pure linen.

Blue Bird No. 29,043—Tuesday Only.  
**\$3.95 Scarfs, \$3.00**  
18x54 Cluny Lace Scarfs, with pure linen center.

Blue Bird No. 29,044—Tuesday Only.  
**\$1.00 Damask, 75c**  
70-inch silver-bleached German Satin Damask.

Blue Bird No. 29,045—Tuesday Only.  
**39c Art Linen, 25c**  
18-inch round-thread White Art Linen.

Blue Bird No. 29,046—Tuesday Only.  
**75c Dozen Buttons, 60c**  
Coat Buttons, new Fall styles, black rim, green concave centers.

Blue Bird No. 29,047—Tuesday Only.  
**25c Supporters, 19c**  
Velvet grip pad, Hose Supporters, black, pink or white.

Blue Bird No. 29,048—Tuesday Only.  
**85c Syringes, 65c**  
Seamless Fountain Syringes, 2-qt. size, guaranteed for one year.

Blue Bird No. 29,049—Tuesday Only.  
**\$1.00 Hosiery, 75c**  
Tourist Cases, rubber lined, with fancy cretonne covers.

Blue Bird No. 29,050—Tuesday Only.  
**95c Pearls, 70c**  
French filled Pearls, solid gold clasp, neck lengths.

Blue Bird No. 29,051—Tuesday Only.  
**\$1.50 Alarm Clocks, \$1.15**  
Nugent's guaranteed Alarm Clocks, back bell, intermittent alarm.

Blue Bird No. 29,052—Tuesday Only.  
**\$5.95 Mesh Bags, \$4.00**  
New Jade, shell and white ivory frame—very newest Mesh Bag.

Blue Bird No. 29,053—Tuesday Only.  
**\$4.95 Hand Bags, \$3.75**  
Fine pin seal leather, shell frame, silk lining and fittings.

Blue Bird No. 29,054—Tuesday Only.  
**\$8.00 Bags, \$4.25**  
Traveling Bags of genuine cowhide, full leather lined, 3 pockets.

Blue Bird No. 29,055—Tuesday Only.  
**25c Stationery, 18c**  
Gold Monogram and Initial Paper or cards, hand stamped, fine linen Paper.

Blue Bird No. 29,056—Tuesday Only.  
**\$1.25 Chiffon-Cloth, 80c**  
42-inch Chiffon Cloth, light and dark shades.

Blue Bird No. 29,057—Tuesday Only.  
**\$1.50 Nets, \$1.10**  
48-inch black Flirt and Hexagon Mesh Nets, all silk.

Blue Bird No. 29,058—Tuesday Only.  
**\$1.50 Allover, \$1.10**  
36-inch white and eury Allover, in small dot effects.

Blue Bird No. 29,059—Tuesday Only.  
**\$1.00 Gloves, 75c**  
Two-clasp guaranteed Silk Gloves, black, white and colors.

Blue Bird No. 29,060—Tuesday Only.  
**\$4.00 Gloves, \$3.00**  
Women's elbow length Trefousse Kid Gloves, black, white, tan, gray.

Blue Bird No. 29,061—Tuesday Only.  
**\$1.50 Gloves, \$1.20**  
Trefousse overseam Kid Gloves, 3-clasp, black, white & Fall shades.

Blue Bird No. 29,062—Tuesday Only.  
**\$1.00 Hosiery, 75c**  
Women's Silk Hosiery, hile tops, embroidered coin dot instep, 8½ to 10.

Blue Bird No. 29,063—Tuesday Only.  
**\$1.25 Hosiery, 85c**  
Women's pure Silk Hosiery, embroidered instep, hile tops, 8½ to 10.

Blue Bird No. 29,064—Tuesday Only.  
**50c Half Hose, 30c**  
Men's pure thread silk Half Hose, hile tops and toes, 9½ to 11½.

Blue Bird No. 29,065—Tuesday Only.  
**25c Hosiery, 18c**  
Misses' Hile Hose, medium weight, double soles and toes, 6 to 9½.

Blue Bird No. 29,066—Tuesday Only.  
**\$3.25 Union Suits, \$2.50**  
Women's glove silk Union Suits, pink or white, sizes 36 to 42.

Blue Bird No. 29,067—Tuesday Only.  
**\$2.00 Vests, \$1.50**  
Women's glove silk Vests, bodice top, white or pink, 36 to 42.

Blue Bird No. 29,068—Tuesday Only.  
**\$1.00 Union Suits, 70c**  
Women's pink Hile Union Suits, tight knee, sizes 34 to 44.

Blue Bird No. 29,069—Tuesday Only.  
**50c Vests, 30c**  
Women's ribbed Vests, medium weight, sizes 4 to 6.

Blue Bird No. 29,070—Tuesday Only.  
**\$5.00 Skirts, \$3.75**  
New Fall Skirts of taffeta, gabardine, poplin, serge and mixtures.

Blue Bird No. 29,071—Tuesday Only.  
**\$5.75 Skirts, \$2.75**  
Of serge and fancy flake material, new Fall styles, all sizes.

Blue Bird No. 29,072—Tuesday Only.  
**\$5.95 Sweaters, \$5.25**  
Fiber silk Sweaters, cash model, in all the new shades.

Blue Bird No. 29,073—Tuesday Only.  
**\$1.00 Waists, 75c**  
Velle Waists, lace and embroidered trim, sizes 34 to 48.

Blue Bird No. 29,074—Tuesday Only.  
**\$1.00 Blouses, 75c**  
Middy Blouses of galates, all white or with colored collars.

Blue Bird No. 29,075—Tuesday Only.  
**\$3.50 Work Baskets, \$2.25**  
Baby Blankets, fine white wool-nap, in pairs, silk bound.

Blue Bird No. 29,076—Tuesday Only.  
**\$4.25 Blankets, \$3.25**  
70x80-inch Wool Blankets, silver gray, double stitched, binding.

Blue Bird No. 29,077—Tuesday Only.  
**\$1.75 Blankets, \$1.25**  
11-4 sizes, gray or tan, wool-nap, silk bound.

Blue Bird No. 29,078—Tuesday Only.  
**15c Pillowcases, 12½c**  
42x36 or 45x36 inch sizes, best bleached, limit 12 to a customer.

Blue Bird No. 29,079—Tuesday Only.  
**\$3.95 Hats, \$2.95**  
Lyon's velvet Untrimmed Hats, various styles, soft crowns.

Blue Bird No. 29,080—Tuesday Only.  
**\$1.95 Hats, \$1.25**  
Misses' ready-to-wear Hats in velvet and plush combinations.

Blue Bird No. 29,081—Tuesday Only.  
**\$10.00 Hats, \$6.75**  
Women's smart Street Hats—new in color and style.

Blue Bird No. 29,082—Tuesday Only.  
**49c Ribbon, 35c**  
7¼-inch Moire Ribbon, splendid quality, in desirable colors.

Blue Bird No. 29,083—Tuesday Only.  
**45c Ribbon, 30c**  
6-inch Satin Ribbon, comes in all the leading shades.

Blue Bird No. 29,084—Tuesday Only.  
**25c Handkerchiefs, 18c**  
Women's Initial Handkerchiefs, all pure linen; variety of styles.

Blue Bird No. 29,085—Tuesday Only.  
**25c Handkerchiefs, 18c**  
Men's Initial Handkerchiefs, all ¼ and 1-inch hems; all white.

Blue Bird No. 29,086—Tuesday Only.  
**50c Towels, 35c**  
Stamped for embroidery, on all-linen huck, new designs.

Blue Bird No. 29,087—Tuesday Only.  
**35c Center Pieces, 25c**  
Stamped on best quality art linen, 22-inch, round or oval shape.

Blue Bird No. 29,088—Tuesday Only.  
**\$7.50 Corsets, \$6.00**  
Unlined Work Baskets on stands, covered top.

Blue Bird No. 29,089—Tuesday Only.  
**\$15.00 Carriages, \$11.50**  
Baby Carriages of fine quality reed, brown or gray enameled finish.

Blue Bird No. 29,090—Tuesday Only.  
**\$37.50 Rugs, \$29.50**  
9x12 Seamless Art Loom, Wilton Rugs, fine Oriental effects.

Blue Bird No. 29,091—Tuesday Only.  
**55c Linoleum, 39c**  
4-yd.-wide real Cork Linoleum, fine line of hardwood and tile patterns.

Blue Bird No. 29,092—Tuesday Only.  
**\$30.00 Rugs, \$22.50**  
9x12 real Body Brussels Rugs, in neat all-over effects; fine for wear.

Blue Bird No. 29,093—Tuesday Only.  
**\$1.95 Curtains, \$1.35**  
New Flirt, cable net and madras weave Curtains, new Fall patterns.

Blue Bird No. 29,094—Tuesday Only.  
**\$4.50 Portieres, \$3.50**  
Sunfast Portieres of splendid quality figured sunfast madras.

Blue Bird No. 29,095—Tuesday Only.  
**25c Cretonne, 18c**  
36-inch fancy Cretonne, beautiful color combinations.

Blue Bird No. 29,096—Tuesday Only.  
**\$1.25 Coats, 90c**  
Infants' new Fall Capes and Coats, infants' sizes.

Blue Bird No. 29,097—Tuesday Only.  
**\$3.50 Coats, \$2.50**  
Children's Velveteens and Cloth Coats, ages 3 to 6 years.

Blue Bird No. 29,098—Tuesday Only.  
**\$1.25 Sweaters, 90c**  
Babies' wool, belted Sweater Coats, white and colors, ages 1 to 4 years.

Blue Bird No. 29,099—Tuesday Only.  
**\$5.00 Corsets, \$4.00**  
La Vida Corset, for average figure, in coutil or batiste, 19 to 30.

Blue Bird No. 29,100—Tuesday Only.  
**\$3.50 Corsets, \$2.50**  
Bon Ton Corsets, medium and full figures, sizes 19 to 34.

Blue Bird No. 29,101—Tuesday Only.  
**\$5.00 Shoes, \$3.50**  
Women's Lace Shoes, dull and patent leather, colored cloth tops.

Blue Bird No. 29,102—Tuesday Only.  
**\$1.98 Gowns, \$1.40**  
Slipover of fine nainsook, yoke and sleeves of lace and medallions.

Blue Bird No. 29,103—Tuesday Only.  
**\$1.50 Underwear, \$1.15**  
Combination Drawer and Corset Cover, of nainsook, dainty trimmings.

Blue Bird No. 29,104—Tuesday Only.  
**\$1.25 Camisoles, \$1.00**  
Of crepe de chine, pink or white, lace and medallion trimming.

Blue Bird No. 29,105—Tuesday Only.  
**\$1.50 Kimonos, \$1.15**  
Of crepe, empire or elastic fitted styles, satin trimming.

Blue Bird No. 29,106—Tuesday Only.  
**\$3.00 Petticoats, \$2.25**  
Of messaline or taffeta, new Fall styles, black and all colors.

Blue Bird No. 29,107—Tuesday Only.  
**\$1.00 Neckwear, 75c**  
Men's neckwear, solid colored silk Barathen, all shades.

Blue Bird No. 29,108—Tuesday Only.  
**\$1.50 Pajamas, \$1.00**  
Men's, plain and striped morcerized materials, sizes 15 to 19.

Blue Bird No. 29,109—Tuesday Only.  
**79c Shirts, 59c**  
Men's, new soft negligee style of fast color percales, 14 to 17.

Blue Bird No. 29,110—Tuesday Only.  
**\$17.50 Raincoats, \$12.50**  
Men's, "Priestley's Cravennette," gabardine Raincoats, belted back.

Blue Bird No. 29,111—Tuesday Only.  
**Men's \$20.00 Suits, \$15.00**  
New Fall Suits of fancy worsteds, cassimeres and navy blue serge.

Blue Bird No. 29,112—Tuesday Only.  
**\$5.00 Trousers, \$3.25**  
Men's, fancy mixtures, in chevrot, cassimeres, woylades and blue serges.

Blue Bird No. 29,113—Tuesday Only.  
**Boys' \$10.00 Suits, \$7.50**  
High-class Dressy Suits, blue cassimeres and chevrot, 7 to 15 years.

Blue Bird No. 29,114—Tuesday Only.  
**Boys' \$7.50 Suits, \$5.75**  
All-Wool Suits in imported chevrots and homespuns, sizes 6 to 16 years.

Blue Bird No. 29,115—Tuesday Only.  
**\$5.00 Dresses, \$3.50**  
Women's Lace Shoes, dull and patent leather, colored cloth tops.

Blue Bird No. 29,116—Tuesday Only.  
**\$3.00 Shoes, \$2.25**  
Children's School and Dress Shoes, button styles.

Blue Bird No. 29,117—Tuesday Only.  
**\$3.50 Pumps, \$2.75**  
Women's Pumps in patent kid and dull leather, leather Louis heels.

Blue Bird No. 29,118—Tuesday Only.  
**\$4.50 Switches, \$2.95**  
Wavy Switches or transformations of fine quality hair.

Blue Bird No. 29,119—Tuesday Only.  
**49c Silverware, 35c**  
New pierced silver-plated Mustard Jars and Salt and Pepper Casters.

Blue Bird No. 29,120—Tuesday Only.  
**\$1.00 Caps, 75c**  
Men's new Fall Caps, golf styles, in fancy mixtures and blue serge.

Blue Bird No. 29,121—Tuesday Only.  
**Men's \$1.85 Hats, \$1.25**  
Men's new Fall Hats, all styles and new models.

Blue Bird No. 29,122—Tuesday Only.  
**\$1.00 Blouses, 75c**  
Boys', of Oxford and fancy silk-striped madras, French cuff, 6 to 16 years.

Blue Bird No. 29,123—Tuesday Only.  
**\$3.00 Sweaters, \$2.25**  
Boys', new Fall weight, of all-wool yarns, coat style, shawl collar.

Blue Bird No. 29,124—Tuesday Only.  
**\$1.00 Dresses, 75c**  
Girls' Wash Dresses of percale, polka dot patterns.

Blue Bird No. 29,125—Tuesday Only.  
**\$4.00 Skirts, \$3.00**  
Girls' Middy Skirts of serge, navy or black, sizes 8 to 14 years.

Blue Bird No. 29,126—Tuesday Only.  
**\$2.50 Dresses, \$1.75**  
Girls' navy wool Serge Dresses, plaid trimmings, 6 to 14 years.



**Women's \$1.50 Kimonos, 75c**

Dotted Swiss Kimonos, full length & width, with effective satin trimming.

**\$1, \$1.25 Undermuslins, 88c**

Included are Women's Hand-embroidered Chemise (short length), Hand-embroidered Chemise, Slipover Crepe Gowns with embroidered front, high neck gowns, long sleeves; also square or "V" neck Gowns & combinations of Corset Cover & Drawers & Petticoats.

All are well made & tastefully trimmed with laces, embroideries & tuckings.

Third Floor

**Children's Sample Coats, \$3.87**

A wonderful lot; just one of a kind, in colored zibeline, serge, boucle mixtures & corduroy, in Alice & navy blue, brown, tan & red.

There are reefer, belt, Russian & box effects, with velvet ribbon & button trimmings. Sizes 1 to 5 years.

Third Floor

**Men's \$3, \$3.50, \$5 Hats, \$2.20**

Odd lots & broken sizes of our "Kingston," "Roxford" & Lincoln Bennett Soft Hats in green, brown, gray & mixtures; light-weight Fall hats; not every style in each size.

Main Floor, Aisle 9

**Boys' \$1.50 Telescope Hats, 79c**

Boys' Telescope Fur Felt Hats, just the thing for school wear. A timely hat, coming right at school opening. All the prevailing colors are shown.

Second Floor

**Boys' \$3 Rainy-Day Outfits, \$1.85**

Tan, rubberized, coat & hat to match—1 outfit in a box. A real necessity for every school boy. Sizes 4 to 18 years.

Second Floor

**Boys' \$1.50 Fall Knickers, \$1.19**

Splendid all-wool, Fall weight Cheviot Knickers, for boys 6 to 18 years. Will make, full lined, with hip & watch pockets.

Second Floor

**Men's \$5 "Slip-On" Raincoats**

at \$3.75

Tan Bombazine Rubberized Raincoats, with strapped & cemented seams. Convertible collars, 52 inches long; sizes 34 to 50.

Second Floor

**Young Men's Fall Suits, \$12.50**

More than 20 distinctive styles, sizes from 31 to 38 chest measure, strictly all-wool chevrons, in newest patterns, color combinations, checks, plaids & stripes. Nifty new models.

Second Floor

**Girls' Corduroy Coats, \$3.95**

Smart new styles in Copenhagen, brown & navy blue, lined throughout & have high rolling collar & belt; sizes 6 to 14.

**Girls' French Serge Dresses**

at \$5.95

Several styles to select from, including smocked & box plaited effect, trimmed with belts, embroidered linen or organdie collars & Roman stripe silk girdles. Colors are navy, green & Copenhagen blue; sizes 6 to 14 years.

Third Floor

**\$3.50 Bon Ton Front Laced****Corsets, \$1.10**

Newest models of French corset, for slender, medium & average figures. Medium high & low bust models, with long hip, elastic bands across back & inserted with elastic gores over hips. Each pair has 6 heavy hose supporters attached; all sizes from 20 to 30.

Third Floor

**Women's Fiber Silk Hosiery, 26c**

Slight seconds of 50c grades, made with high spliced heels, double soles & toes; black, white & colors.

Main Floor

**Women's Silk Union Suits, \$2.49**

Italian silk, in beautiful embroidered or plain styles, in popular colors of white or pink, broken stock lots, values to \$3.50.

Main Floor

**35c, 39c Fancy Ribbons, 25c Yd.**

All-silk Ribbons in light flowered brocades, Roman stripes & plaids, 5 to 7 in. wide.

Main Floor, Aisle 2

**Fine Stationery About One-Half**

"Berlin Jones Company's Colonial Lawn" in several sizes & each size in 6 fashionable shades. Paper & envelopes have beveled gold edges. Regularly 60c; in this sale, paper & correspondence cards at 25c per box.

Main Floor, Aisle 10

**Famous-Bank****ENTIRE BLOCK, OLIVE, LOCUST, SIXTH AND SEVENTH STS.**

Largest Distributors of Merchandise at Retail in Missouri or the West

We Give Eagle Stamps & Redeem Fall Books for 25 Cents or \$2.50 in Merchandise—Few Restricted Articles Are Excepted.

**STORE HOURS**

Beginning Tuesday

8:30 A. M. to 6 P. M.

**September Sales: Mighty Factors for Economy**

THE merchandising wheels set in motion for the stupendous August Sale Campaign, just completed, are still revolving, & as a result vast quantities of desirable & dependable Fall goods are arriving to give added impetus to September sales. This great ingathering of Autumn wearables & accessories holds economies of vital importance to YOU. On every hand are evidences of the GIANT BUYING POWER of our great FIVE-STORE Merchandising Organization. An aggressive September merchandise movement is under way now, & the helpfulness of it to YOU will be measured only by YOUR own needs. Below are quoted but a limited number of the opportunities for genuine savings, which will interest every thrift-inclined person in this community.

**Double Eagle Stamps Tuesday****59c Neck Ruffs, 39c**

Chenille Dotted Chiffon Neck Ruffs, with ribbon ends, so very popular this season. White, light blue & white, pink & white, black & white.

Main Floor, Aisle 2

During the Recent Liquidation of Frisbie-Coon Co. We Purchased &amp; Now Offer

**2874 Dozen of Frisbie-Coon Collars**Regular 15c or 2 for 25c Value **55c Dozen**

This firm was widely & favorably known throughout the country as makers of men's collars & shirts, men's & women's bath robes, men's nightshirts & men's & women's pajamas. In their recent liquidation proceedings we secured their entire Chicago stock at a fraction of value, & now offer for quick taking Tuesday.

Collars that are right up to the last minute in style, made for the good service they are known to give. They come in quarter & half sizes, & all are new, clean & fresh, being still in their original boxes. There are all sizes, & the lot includes—

1374 dozen "LOOSCARF" 4-ply Collars.

840 dozen "FRISBIE" 4-ply Collars.

660 dozen "RED TAB" 4-ply Collars.

**Bath Robes, Pajamas & Nightshirts at Half Price**

Garments are tagged at what they would be if bought under ordinary conditions, but you pay just ONE-HALF of this price Tuesday. There are—

232 Men's Fancy Blanket Bath Robes—Regularly \$3.00 to \$16.00 Now \$1.50 to \$8.00

198 Men's Terry Cloth Bath Robes—Regularly \$3.50 to \$12.00 Now \$1.75 to \$6.00

68 doz. Men's Pajamas—Of outing flannel or cambric—Regularly \$1.00 to \$4.50 Sale price .50c to \$2.25

140 doz. Men's Nightshirts—Of outing flannel or cambric—Regularly .75c to \$2.50 Sale price .38c to \$1.25

Main Floor, Aisle 10

**Evidence of the September Value-Giving in These Women's & Misses' Autumn Suits**Special, **\$22.50** at

In these garments are voiced the most authentic fashion ideas of the season. Ten clever new models are specially shown, including semi-tailored, strictly tailored, fancy trimmed & military effects.

The materials include:

Broadcloth • Men's Wear Serge • Whipcord  
Gabardine • Wool Poplin • English Worsteds  
Scotch Tweeds • Fancy Hard-Finished Worsteds

Garments are lined with soft silk to match or in contrasting color, & suits are tailored in a superior way. Shades are plum; taupe, African brown, green, Holland blue, navy blue, black & mixtures.

**Special Values in Fall Dresses, \$19.75****Women's & Misses'**

A very pleasing diversity of styles are shown, incorporating the very latest designing ideas, as these garments are direct from the fountain of fashions. Serge & silk combinations are widely shown, as are also silk taffeta, crepe de chine, meteor, soiree & charmeuse—these in shades of navy & Holland blue, blackberry, African brown, taupe, plaids & black.

Third Floor

**Chic Fall Hats**Special Values at **\$5**

A remarkable showing in which the newest models are depicted. Fascinating poke effects, graceful sailiors, tricornes & draped velvet turbans. Trimmings are ribbons, flowers, furs & silver beaded motifs, wings & ostrich.

Most of the shapes are made of Lyons velvet & each has a taffeta silk lining—in every way the equal of \$8 value.

Third Floor

**\$1.50 Wool Plaids**at **98c**

All-wool, fancy weaves, 54-inch new Plaid Suitings, dark colors.

\$2.98 Crepe Meteor, \$2.29 A very heavy dull satin-faced, soft All-silk Crepe Meteor, in all the popular shades.

\$1.50 Black Faille Silk, \$1.19 A staple stylish, yard wide, All-silk Black Faille.

\$1.39 40-In. Satin de Luxe, \$1 Soft, dull finish, 40-inch Black Dress Satin.

Main Floor, Aisle 1

**Sale of Hand Bags**Exceptional Value at **98c**

An important event in real Leather Bags in long grain, natural & pebble seal grain, lined with different colored poplin or cretonne. These are fitted with extra coin purse & mirror & have German silver or covered frames. Catches are mounted with colored stones or ivoryid elephants.

It is a remarkable lot—4 of the styles are shown herewith.

**\$7.50 to \$12 Sample Bags, \$5**

Just 35 in lot of genuine mat, crepe or pin seal, richly lined with silk & with manure, & extra coin fittings of French ivory & violet shell.

Main Floor, Aisle 5

Choice

98c

**Men's Silk Lisle Half Hose, 11c**

19c value; made with high spliced heels, double soles & toes, in black, white & colors.

Main Floor

**\$1.25 Linen Damask, 88c Yd.**

All linen, fine quality Irish & German Damask, 70 inches wide, in eight good patterns.

Fifth Floor

**Ex. Size Tablecloths, 1/4 Price**

A few long Tablecloths, sizes 2 1/4 x 3 1/4 & 2 1/4 x 4 yards, regularly \$10, \$12 & \$14, Tuesday, \$5, \$6 & \$7.

Fifth Floor

**\$1, \$1.25, \$1.50 Dress Goods, 75c**

One big table of all-wool 50 & 54 inch Dress Goods, in mixtures, checks, fancy stripes & Scotch tweeds, for Fall & Winter wear, including black.

Main Floor, Aisle 1

**Sample Kid Gloves, 50c Pr.**

Hargadine-McKittrick's Women's sample Gloves, purchased some time ago & held for seasonable selling. All styles & colors, in Kid, Suede, Mocha & Cape Gloves, sizes from 5 1/2 to 7 1/2.

Main Floor, Aisle 4

**Men's 10c, 12 1/2c Initial Hdks, 5c**

Several hundred dozen; of finest quality white cambric. They come in fancy boxes, 1/2 dozen to a box.

Main Floor, Aisle 5

**15c to 35c Embroideries, 10c Yd.**

Splendid Swiss & Nainsook Embroideries, beautiful patterns, fine quality, in 5 to 10 inch widths.

Main Floor, Aisle 4

**Publishers' Discontinued Books**

at 25c

Stories of real merit, by widely known authors, 100 titles.

Main Floor, Aisle 10

**Clark's Spool Cotton, 19c Doz.**

John J. Clark's 200-yd. Spool Cotton, all numbers, black or white. Limit of 2 dozen to customer.

Main Floor, Aisle 3

**Lyon's Tooth Powder, 2 for 25c**

The well & widely known Dentrifice; per can, 13c, or 2 for 25c. Limit 2 to a customer.

Main Floor, Aisle 5

**\$16.50 100-Pc. Dinner Set, \$11.95**

This is a remarkable lot of 20 sets for Tuesday's selling. Semi-porcelain Dinner Sets, in beautiful delicate floral border decoration with gold treatment.

Fifth Floor

**\$4 Hand-Painted Vases, \$1.95**

Hand-painted Art Nippon China, large size Vases, in various beautiful decorations & shapes, while 90 last.

Fifth Floor

**4-Yd. Wd. Linoleum, 37c Sq. Yd.**

In this splendid Printed Linoleum there is a good variety of choice patterns. It will be cut in any quantity.

Fourth Floor

**\$7 White Wool Blankets, \$4.89**

\*Extra size, 76x84 inches, finished in wide silk binding—price obtains only while 100 pairs last.

Fourth Floor

**\$22.50 Axminster Rugs, \$16.85**

9x12-room size, in a large assortment of the very best standard makes, such as Hartford, Bussorah, Bigelow Electric, Alexander Smith & Sons, & Roxbury.

Fourth Floor

**\$12 Brass Beds, \$7.25**

A limited number of these handsome Brass Beds in 4 ft. 6 in. size only, satin or polot finish. Posts are 3 in., & all fitted with large acorn vases.

Fourth Floor

**\$1 Sale of Laundry Soap**

50 bar Peet Bros. Crystal White Laundry Soap, 34 for \$1.  
50 bar Ex. Family Laundry, 34 for \$1.  
50 bar Lenox Soap, 40 for \$1.  
No phone or mail orders filled.

Basement Gallery

**\$12.98 Washing Machines, \$8.85**

Motor Water Power Washing Machines, fully warranted.

Basement Gallery

**\$26.50 Refrigerators, \$18.95**

Automatic White Enamel-lined Refrigerators, side icing style, with water cooler.

Basement Gallery

**Manufacturers' Co-operative Sale of Pianos & Players**

The remarkable success of this sale is added testimony to the popularity of our Piano Section.

The well-known quality of the instruments offered by the seven manufacturers participating in this competitive sale, & the extremely low prices & terms quoted, have attracted the attention of the entire surrounding country.

Pianos, \$155.00 | Players, \$315.00  
Special at \$155.00 & UP | Special at \$315.00 & UP

Each manufacturer is doing his utmost to secure a permanent place in our regular line. Your opportunity of saving money is now. You should act quickly if you would secure one of the Pianos or Players.

**WE GUARANTEE THEM ALL**

**\$10.00** Down Sends One to Your Home. **\$2.00** Each Week Will Pay for It.



Sixth Floor

**Rare September Savings in the Basement Economy Store****5000 Yards of 10c Outing**

Flannel, 5c Yd.

Heavy, soft finish, double faced, neat stripes, checks, plaids, etc. 2 to 8-yard pieces. (30-yard limit to customer.)

12 1/2c Bridal Bleach Muslin

at 8 1/2c

Full pieces with original mill tickets, beautiful special finish for women & children, full 36 inches wide.

12 1/2c Amoskeag 32-In.

Madras, 7 1/2c

Beautiful shirting & waisting styles, crisp mill cuts, 2 1/2 to 10 yards.

25c Featherproof Ticking, 15c

Blue & white stripes, 32 inches wide, twill back, fast colors, mill cuts 2 1/2 to 10 yards.

90x90 Sheets, 58c

Ready made, seamless, snow white, full 2 1/2 x 2 1/2 yard size; a well known high-grade Sheet. Subject to mill stains & slight imperfections.

300 Doz. Pillowcases, 99c Doz.

48x16-inch size, soft finish cotton; lampshade nicely; while lot lasts. (Not over 3 dozen to each customer.)

10c &amp; 12 1/2c Towels, 6c

Hemmed huck, in white or colored border, size 16x21 to 18x28 inches, some slightly mill stained.

**1000 Untrimmed**

Silk Velvet Dress

Shapes,

**85c**

Chic new Fall Shapes of Cheney Bros. silk velvet.

Included are Sailors, Turbans, Tricornes & mannish styles; regularly sold at \$1.75; special for Tuesday only at this figure.

**Women's \$2 to \$4 Shoes**at **\$1.35**

2000 pairs of Button & Lace Shoes, in new lasts, French, Cuban & low heels, cloth combinations, in patent, gunmetal & vic kid leathers, turn or welt soles; some slightly factory damaged; some samples; good size range.

**German Torchon Laces**

White 500 dozen yds. last, 15c doz. yds.

**Men's Handkerchiefs, 6 for 19c**

Good Cambric with openwork initials, all letters.

39c Embdy. Flouncings, 19c

24-in. Baby Flouncings, with pretty eyelet, floral & Irish point edges.

50c Black Silk Gloves, 25c

24-in. double, finger tipped, Black Silk Gloves. Limit 3 pairs to each buyer.

40-Inch Silk Poplins, 44c

2000 yards plain, pure silk & wool double-width Poplin, in black, navy, Copenhagen, taupe, Russian, reseda, gray, brown & green. These are staple 90c quality, with slight imperfections. No mail or phone orders filled.

**\$1.50 Rust-Proof Corsets, 40c**

Warner's long model, medium high bust, rust-proof bonded, 4 supporters; sizes 19 to 30.

Coutil Corsets, 68c

Fall models, of coutil, medium & high bust, long hip & back; sizes 19 to 30.

**\$7.50 & \$10 Fall Coats, \$5.90**

Clever Sport Coats, College Coats, & the popular loose back models as well as the plain 52-inch Coats. Materials are mixtures, checks, plaids & all-wool materials, in black, navy, brown & green. Women's & misses' sizes.

**\$5 to \$7.50 Dresses, \$3.90**

Pretty styles of serge & silk poplin—all the new style ideas are embodied in their making. Colors are black, navy, brown, green & Copen, many have lace collar & cuffs. Women's & misses' sizes.

**Women's 69c Petticoats, 45c**







LOVE IN A COTTAGE  
Beats misery in a mansion or pain in a palace.  
OWN YOUR OWN COTTAGE

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ST. LOUIS, MONDAY EVENING, SEPTEMBER 6, 1915.—PART TWO.

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Invest in REAL ESTATE and Become  
One of the BEST Citizens

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## POLICE INSIST THAT NEGROES ADMITTED KILLING DR. MOHR

Chief at Barrington, R. I., De-  
clares He Can Prove They  
Were at Scene of Murder.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Sept. 6.—"I have  
obtained evidence today that absolutely  
ties up these three negroes to their ori-  
ginal confession that they murdered Dr.  
C. Franklin Mohr and wounded Miss  
Emily Burger, his private secretary,"  
said Thomas F. Robbins, Chief of Po-  
lice of the town of Barrington, news-  
papers men yesterday.

"I can prove that the negroes were  
at the scene of the murder at 9 o'clock  
Tuesday night, and that all they told  
the police after their arrest was the  
truth," the Chief added. "I don't care  
whether the negroes repudiate their con-  
fession or not," he added, "but I don't  
see how they can. It wouldn't make  
any difference if they do."

The three negroes—Healls, the doctor's  
chauffeur; Brown, a former hostler em-  
ployed by the doctor and discharged by  
him three weeks before the shooting  
last Tuesday night; and Spellman, half  
brother of Brown—denied yesterday that  
they made the detailed repudiation of  
their confession which was printed in  
newspapers Sunday.

"We never said nothing," Healls said  
to the correspondents. "And we ain't  
gon' to say nothing either," Brown  
threw in.

Denial of Negroes Confirmed.  
A person connected with the jail in  
Bristol, who was present when the al-  
leged repudiation was supposed to have  
been made, agreed with the negroes.

This repudiation of the confession, and  
particularly of that portion of it which  
charged Mrs. Mohr with having offered  
them \$500 to kill her husband and shoot  
Miss Burger, increased the feeling here  
that powerful influences are at work to  
clear Mrs. Mohr.

In fact a person who was closely as-  
sociated with Dr. Mohr said there was  
no doubt a remarkable effort is being  
made under cover to save Mrs. Mohr.

This informant said leaders in politics  
and society in this State are desperate  
through fear that family skeletons will  
be fanned if Mrs. Mohr should be  
brought to trial. It was added that this  
reaching of the tentacles of the Doctor's  
immensely lucrative practice into the  
homes of the rich and influential is  
what had baffled attempts to bring him

## Red Cross Nurses Teaching Wounded Germans to Do Needlework; for Sale to Aid Maimed



to book for the sort of practice it was  
common knowledge he indulged in.

All this is why residents of this city  
and Newport are wondering when and  
on whom the first blast of scandal will  
fall. It would surprise no one at all  
familiar with the situation if the first  
break should come at any moment.

The Post-Dispatch correspondent, for  
instance, was told today that if a cer-  
tain document which newspaper men  
have been trying to get should be made  
public, that by way of reprisal some  
other interesting documents would be  
made public. The anonymous character  
of this paragraph is due to the fact  
that some of the persons most promi-  
nent in the case will not talk until their  
names will not be used.

There is no doubt at all but that they  
feel they are sitting on a lid which  
they would not be surprised to have  
blown from under them at any mo-  
ment.

The astounding possibilities growing  
out of the peculiar nature of Dr.  
Mohr's business is more a food for  
thought here than discussion of the pre-  
sented guilt or innocence of Mrs. Mohr.

## WORK FOR BABIES WILL NOT END WITH SCHOOL OPENING

Children to Continue Efforts to Increase Pure  
Milk and Free Ice Fund as  
Long as Necessary.

The impression seems to be rather  
widespread that the campaign by the  
Post-Dispatch Pure Milk and Free Ice  
League for saving the babies of the  
over-crowded districts of the city from  
ailments incident to the summer sea-  
son, comes to a close with the opening  
of the city schools. It is erroneous.  
Commencement of the fall and winter  
school terms naturally brings more or  
less interruption to the work of the  
children constituting the league, but  
the spirit of the young people enlisted  
in the cause is such that so long as  
the need for relief and possibility of aid  
in administering it exists their interest  
continues active.

In some respects the gathering of the  
girls and boys in school is helpful in the  
work, at least so long as the necessity  
for earnest study after school hours is  
not urgent. They find themselves to-  
gether, ready to canvass such plans as  
are in their minds and unite upon a  
program and the most promising means  
of carrying them out to the greatest  
advantage. The task of mastering their  
little affairs is not heavy, and Friday  
and Saturday evenings are open to pro-  
duction. In this way the campaign is  
easily continued until about the mid-  
dle of October, at which time the chill  
in the atmosphere has banished the ill  
which greatly afflict poor infants dur-  
ing the summer period.

Still Talking of Show.

The proceeds of the benefit perfor-  
mance given recently at the Lindell The-  
ater, Grand avenue and Hebert street,  
under direction of Miss S. Friedlob, ac-  
gregated \$34.40, as thus far reported,  
with perhaps a small addition yet to  
come. In addition to the financial re-  
turn, the affair is still a topic of pleas-  
urable discussion in that section of the  
city because of the excellence with  
which it moved and the high character  
of the program numbers as entertaining  
features. The lingering talk embraces  
Miss Ruth Mendelsohn's performance  
on the violin, vocal solos by Misses Es-  
telle Barton and Gertrude Wittoff;  
Messrs. Ledebere and Wittoff, the cap-  
tivating dancing by Misses Florence  
Fitzgibbon and Hortense Seches, and  
Miss Elsie Geigher, who was so strong  
a favorite in her acting and singing that  
Manager Goldman has engaged her for  
an appearance under his management.  
The team work by Harold Colonna and  
Miss Fanny Berger, who did a negro  
sketch dealing as a waiter and waitress,  
respectively, with songs and dances, also  
lives in the memories of the large au-  
dience. In the song by Wittoff was in-  
troduced an original topical verse that  
suggested that he is wasting his time so  
long as he remains out of the realm of  
poetry as a profession. Another feature  
of enduring type was the recitation by  
Miss Esther Arbetter, who gave abun-  
dant evidence of being splendidly adapt-  
ed to the art of reading.

For two days little Misses Fannie  
Goldstein of 1311 Carr street and Rose  
Wind of 1319 Carr conducted a lemonade  
stand at Thirteenth and Carr streets,  
their popularity and industry being pro-  
ductive of \$2.50 for the benefit of the  
needy babies.

Entertainment on Lawn.  
A show was given on the lawn of  
4164 Shaw avenue Friday for the  
Fund which yielded \$2.58. The yard  
was decorated with Japanese lan-  
terns and the stage erected for this  
special purpose was decorated with  
locust greens and spider plants, con-  
stituting a pretty picture.

Represent Months of Year.

The program was constructed to  
represent the different months by the  
children, who were appropriately  
costumed. This was followed by  
songs, dances and recitations. Each  
of the children took his or her re-  
spective part exceptionally well, as

CONTRIBUTIONS.	
Previously acknowledged	\$3392.92
Miss S. Friedlob, entertain- ment at Lindell Theater	\$1.40
Lemonade stand, Thirteenth and Carr streets	2.50
Jennie Nathan and Helen Ruth Well	1.25
Miriam Franklin	1.00
Margaret Seck	.20
Total	\$3479.27

was enthusiastically attested by the  
large audience.

Those who had a part in the affair  
are Caesar and Olive Christophel,  
Marguerite Wilbert, Douglas Cremin,  
Margaret Laules, Russell Fisher, Bert  
Convy, Robert Herder, Jack Convy,  
Russell Tuffel, Bud Ballard, Stewart  
Davies, Florence Convy, Dorothy  
Ballard, Winifred Herder, Evelyn  
Convy, Vera Hall and Anna Sargent.  
Three small girls conducted a lemon-  
ade stand at 4477 Delmar boulev-  
ard, Thursday afternoon, from which  
they realized \$1.05 for the benefit of  
the babies. This sum was augmented  
by a 50-cent donation from Sarah  
Schuman of Bellingham, Wash. The  
girls who operated the stand are  
Florence, Sarah and Hilda Nider of  
4477 Delmar boulevard.

YOUR NERVES NEED

Hosford's Acid Phosphate  
Restores the supply of chemicals depleted  
by physical or mental exhaustion, nervous-  
ness and insomnia.

INDUSTRIAL STATUS SECRET

BERLIN, via London, Sept. 6.—Offi-  
cial warning has been issued to the  
people of Germany not to answer ques-  
tions about the status of German industries  
which may be asked by foreigners until  
the War Minister shall have passed  
upon the propriety of inquiries.  
Heads of all industrial establishments  
are instructed to exercise care, even  
with foreigners resident in Germany, in  
the interests of the fatherland.

Tomorrow  
He Goes  
to School.  
Is He  
Fit to  
Stand the Strain?



It's a pity, but it's a fact,  
that almost half of the  
school children have some  
eye trouble that if not  
given prompt attention  
will not only hold the  
youngster back in his  
school work, but will  
likely develop into a per-  
manent ailment.

An optical examination by one  
of our optometrists will de-  
termine whether or not glasses  
are needed. This examina-  
tion is without charge.

Western Optical  
1002 OLIVE

## 4000 TROOPS TO BE ON BORDER BY MIDDLE OF WEEK

Country, However, Is Covered  
With Undergrowth and Trails  
Are Difficult.

BROWNSVILLE, Tex., Sept. 6.—The  
disposition of troops in the Brownsville  
sector continued today. By mid-week  
there will be 4000 men, cavalry, infantry,  
artillery and signal and aero corps in  
this district, a command large enough,  
it is hoped, to exert sufficient moral  
force to make the use of physical force  
unnecessary in maintaining quiet in the  
border counties with their 50 per cent  
Mexican population.

The troops are patrolling a territory  
nearly the size of Maine, which con-  
tains only one city, Brownsville. It is  
a country without roads, until near  
the small towns. Great spaces are cov-  
ered with brush traversed by trails that  
only experienced guides can follow.  
Nearly everything in this brush bears  
thorns, some of which pierce leather.  
Most of the guides who knew these  
trails are Mexicans, and with few ex-  
ceptions neither army officers nor State  
and county officials know whether these  
Mexicans are loyal American citizens or  
friends of the bandits and revolution-  
ists.

This lack of knowledge is a menace to  
the international relations. Because  
they have been unable to know what  
Mexicans are their friends Americans of  
this section bear and prepare to take  
action on the wildest of rumors.

Some of Wild Rumors.

Some of them have come to believe,  
even that other nations are trying to  
involve Mexico with the United States.  
A few credit reports that Americans  
who wish intervention are behind most  
of the bandit outbreaks. It is pointed  
out as significant that of the railroad  
bridge burnings, or attempts at burn-  
ing, bandits always have waited until  
the trains had passed and there would  
be little danger of serious conse-  
quences.

In the two months since the bandits  
began operations four American men  
have been murdered. Two have been  
killed at Sebastian by Mexicans who  
were their personal enemies. Appar-  
ently the element of racial revenge did  
not enter into the killings until last  
week's murder of two Americans near  
San Benito.

It is now established that these two  
Americans were killed partly in retaliation  
for some picture postal cards which  
have been spread over Northeast Mex-  
ico. These were pictures of Texas rang-  
ers on horseback with rope about the  
bodies of some Mexicans killed several  
weeks ago in the fight at Noria. The  
rangers did not drag these bodies. They  
only posed for the pictures to satisfy  
a photographer. The wide sale of these  
pictures produced bad feeling.

Lawyers in Court Armed.

The new Seventy-ninth District Court  
held its first sitting today at Rio Grande  
City, about 100 miles up the river from  
here. Some of the attorneys who at-  
tended court from the old counties said  
they were carrying a law book in one  
hand and a pistol in the other.

Flight Lieutenant J. C. Morrow, who  
was injured when his biplane fell in a  
field last night, was reported slightly  
improved today, but still dazed. Private  
Adam Khuenryk, hurt with him, was  
better.

OWN your HOME. The Post-Dis-  
patch Real Estate columns tell of  
Home Bargains on terms to suit.

## 24 COUNTIES PAY STATE'S EXPENSES, PAINTER DECLARES

90 Receive Back More Than  
They Pay In, Lieutenant-Gov-  
ernor Tells Conference.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Sept. 6.—Some  
surprising statements were made yes-  
terday by W. R. Painter, Lieutenant-  
Governor of Missouri, about Missouri's  
revenue problem. He was in Kansas  
City attending the State officials' con-  
ference.

Among his statements were:  
That about 20 Missouri counties re-  
ceive back from the State more money  
than they pay in. The other 24, which  
are larger counties in the State, pay  
all the expenses of the State Govern-  
ment.

That no revenue measure had been  
presented in the Legislature in the last  
10 years that did not divert the reve-  
nue to some special fund and not into  
the general revenue fund.

The revenue question, in view of the  
tangle now existing over the public  
school apportionment, was widely dis-  
cussed by the gathering of Missouri  
public officials, which included nearly  
all the State officers and six State Sen-  
ators. Most of them had different ideas  
about what ought to be done. But the  
gathering was almost unanimous that  
the revenue problem should be taken  
up and met by the State, and no longer  
evaded.

Painter Very Frank.

Painter was both frank and pro-  
nounced in his views on the question.  
He said:

"The entire business of the State, in-  
cluding the State schools, the elemen-  
tary institutions and the various State  
departments, is run on less money than  
Kansas City and Jackson County spend  
each year to run their business. While  
the institutions and the functions of the  
State have been growing each year,  
there has not been a single revenue  
measure introduced in the Legislature  
in the last 10 years to put more money  
in the general fund. The few revenue  
measures passed have always diverted  
the money to some special fund.

"Due to the inequalities of our pres-  
ent system of taxation about 30 Mis-  
souri counties receive back from the  
State each year more money than they  
pay in revenue. In other words, they  
contribute nothing to the expense of  
running the State and all its institu-  
tions.

"I took pains to look up the records  
in my own county (Carroll), one of the  
richest in the State. Even including  
hunters' licenses, Carroll County re-  
ceives from the State \$600 more than it  
pays in."

Painter said this inequality came  
about from not following the Constitu-  
tion.

Way to Meet Problem.  
"My way to meet this problem would  
be to follow the Constitution. The Con-  
stitution says that all property shall be  
taxed in its face value for assess-  
ment. If that were done, the inequali-  
ties, which now cause men to hide out  
notes and mortgages, would cease to  
exist. Money would come out from hid-  
ing from the Assessor. The tax rate,  
of course, would be cut down if this  
were done in the same proportion as the  
valuation is raised."

The probably will be no more Sen-  
ate investigating commissions as a re-  
sult of a conference. E. F. Deal, State  
Treasurer, let it be known to the chair-

man of the commissions appointed by  
the last Senate that unless the money  
appropriated to defray the expenses of  
those commissions was returned to the  
State by next Saturday, suits would be  
instituted to recover it.

It has been the custom for the Sen-  
ate by resolution to create commissions  
of its members to investigate certain  
legislative subjects and report back  
proposed legislation to the next Legis-  
lature. The Senate of 1912 created sev-  
eral such commissions and the money  
to defray their expenses was paid with-  
out question. The past Senate created  
five commissions, but a storm of protest  
arose from certain House members of  
the administration faction. It was  
charged that the commissions were  
merely "junketing committees."

Barker Overrules Practice.

Attorney-General Barker gave an  
opinion that the Senate could not legally  
appropriate money by a resolution of  
the House alone. That reversed the pre-  
vious ruling of that office. The war-  
rants had already been approved by  
State Auditor Gordon and the money  
paid to the chairmen of the various  
committees by the Treasurer. As soon  
as the Commissioners learned that the  
legality of the appropriations had been  
questioned they held their money in  
tact, awaiting a final decision upon what  
course to pursue. Several Senators re-  
signed from the commissions, stating  
that they were mere "junketing" com-  
mittees.

Most of the Senators present at last  
night's conference were in favor of re-  
turning the money that had been ap-  
propriated for the expense of the com-  
missions. After a long conference it  
was finally decided that each of the  
five commissions would have meetings  
this week and decide whether to return  
the money.

In all \$17,000 was appropriated to cover

the expenses of the Senate commis-  
sions.  
Attorney-General Barker attended the  
conference. He said that he had noth-  
ing to do with the matter unless Treas-  
urer Deal asked him to institute suits  
to recover the money.

## AMERICAN BANKERS' MEETING

Convention at Seattle to Take Up  
War Finance Problems.

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arrival today of several special trains,  
approximately 1000 delegates had  
reached here for the forty-second an-  
nual convention of the American Bank-  
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with pressing problems involving the  
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## LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

## Rain Damage in Recent Big Storms.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

I should like to have the opinion of some man of science as to whether or not the extensive damage to the walls of houses in St. Louis during the recent hurricane was caused by the rain being driven through those brick walls by the direct force of the wind.

The tornado companies are getting out of paying insurance on the recent damage by the paragraph which reads "This company shall not be liable for any loss or damage caused by water or rain," etc. but there is a clause in this paragraph which reads "unless the building insured"

shall first sustain actual damage to the roofs or walls of same by the direct force of the wind." We contend that in the recent storm these walls did first sustain actual damage by the "direct force of the wind" in that the rain was actually driven through these walls by the force of the wind. It is a peculiar characteristic of tornado wind that it blows objects through each other without sometimes damaging the surrounding parts of the object that is hit as for instance the well known fact of articles such as pieces of wood driven through the trunk of trees without any other injury to the same trees.

The Weather Bureau stated explicitly that the recent storm was a continuation of the Galveston hurricane which very properly comes under tornado insurance. It was a "special" storm and not an ordinary rain storm. The damage to the walls in St. Louis has been remarkable. They are water soaked and will not be dried out for possibly several months. This has never happened before in St. Louis to this peculiar extent and will not happen again in a generation. It was unquestionably the result of the hurricane.

We believe the tornado policy holders have an action in court and we are sure that the law courts will decide that the tornado insurance companies are liable for damages resulting from the recent storm.

S. R. CUNNINGHAM.

## The Higher Education.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

No objection to the "little red school house," but how about the \$1,000,000 high school buildings at public expense? After you have all the people educated to be professors, doctors, editors, preachers, schoolmasters, etc., where will the farmer boy be? Everybody his own doctor and coal digger.

JOEL SPOPE.

## The Car-Stop Saving.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

According to your Wednesday's paper, the United Railways saves from one to four minutes on each trip under the new ruling put into effect Sept. 1. The United Railways is to be congratulated upon their rapid transit.

In reading the papers of the proposed system prior to Sept. 1, I welcomed the idea, as being a daily pattern of sales company, and not inconvenient by the new system. I figured that a saving of at least 10 minutes on each trip. Imagine my dismay when I discovered that in eliminating certain stops, the United Railways to run faster, make the trip in practically the same time, enabling them to run fewer cars, thereby saving money.

The United Railways is not helping the public save time, but the public are helping the United Railways to save money, at their own inconvenience.

Either save us more time or put on the old system.

## Car Stops Don't Please All.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

I noticed in the paper, "No Complaints About United Railways Cars Being Tried Out on Their New Plan." Well, I wish that I could talk to Mr. McCulloch. Probably if he would get out of his touring car and try it he would change it.

If he would only realize how hard it is for a girl that has been on her feet all day to walk a block more or even half, he would sympathize with them. Before his three months of trying his new plan is over he will have more complaints than he will be able to read.

ONE THAT HAS TO WALK TWO BLOCKS.

## A Senseless Regulation.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

I quite agree with "R. C." that the average garbage pail is about the "naughtiest thing" one comes across. They are feeders and breeders of rats and a serious menace to the health of the householders, and yet when a housewife wraps the garbage in a paper the wagon man refuses to haul it away. What are they paid for anyway? Are they supposed to be in the employ of the public, or some franchise grabbing monopoly? The red tape around St. Louis is more than sufficient.

W. M. BARNUM.

## THE LABOR ANNIVERSARY.

Labor's holiday in 1915 finds the eight-hour workday much farther advanced than ever before in history and settlement by arbitration or other peaceful means of adjustment in much higher favor than even one year ago as a practical method of avoiding or minimizing the great waste of strikes.

The success with which it was employed in preventing strikes involving hundreds of thousands of railroad men in the East and West has firmly established arbitration as the indicated natural agency for ending the labor disputes of public utility companies.

After harmonizing the differences of the Western railroad men, it was successfully employed at Chicago in preventing a tieup on the second largest traction system of America. A strike of 1500 St. Louis teamsters rendering a service akin to that of the utility companies was terminated in a few hours by diplomacy and compromise.

To compute the number of workers affected during the past year by the introduction of the eight-hour day at steel plants, munition plants, oil refineries, automobile and other large industrial establishments is not now possible. But it must run up into the hundreds of thousands.

The war which was only well under way on Labor day one year ago continues. But if the transfer of the hosts of labor from the work of production to the work of destruction is attended by sorry results in Europe, America still presents a happy contrast. Employment conditions have shown an amazing improvement during the year. Along with the decrease in the hours of labor there has been an increase in wages, especially in industries rendered abnormally active by the war.

The Post-Dispatch congratulates the union workers on the promising outlook of the new labor year that begins today.

Von Hindenburg is said to follow the fine military strategy of the Chinese. Let us hope he has no designs on the "Mellican man."

## SOLDIERS OF FORTUNE HIT.

Poor law and poorer policy is embodied in the opinion of the Solicitor of the Department of Labor to the effect that an American forfeits his citizenship who takes the oath of allegiance in a foreign army. The significance of such an oath is limited. It merely signifies that faithful service will be rendered during the period of enlistment only. An American may be all the better citizen for taking such an oath. He may be fighting for the very principles on which his citizenship is founded.

The decision would have expropriated Funston and all those who fought for a free Cuba, Houston and the many who fought for the republic of Texas before its admission, a great company of men who have fought for the sake of ideals or adventure in Latin-America. The American soldier of fortune is too valuable as well as picturesque a figure in the history of the world to be left a man without a country by a far-fetched bureaucratic ruling.

The war has been a heavy cost to neutrals. Peace sentiment, when the war is over, will surely be universal.

## TWO MEN.

If Mr. Bryan is capable of self-criticism, it must be with a chastened spirit that he now reviews the manner of his retirement from the State Department last June.

It was not until Mr. Bryan ceased to speak for the United States that Germany discovered sincerity and courage as well as determination in the attitude of the administration at Washington.

The cause of peace will not make much headway unless it is based upon right and justice. To be merely nonresistant is not to promote peace. To be not only a nonresistant but a palter, also is to invite insult and assault. A few weeks more of Bryan in the State Department would have increased German defiance to a point at which an accommodation would have been impossible. Results have shown that when he ran away from an issue regarded by him as certain to lead to war, he, in fact, opened the way for men of sterner stuff to establish an honorable peace.

In the negotiations of late the true Germany has been face to face with the true America. It was necessary to set aside Mr. Bryan before anybody in Berlin could summon the vigor to suppress the military party which held him and his country in contempt. Mr. Bryan was more than an embarrassment to the Government and people of the United States. By his trifling with a momentous question he was leading Germany itself into new perils.

The American who has won a triumph for peace is not Mr. Bryan, who feared and evaded trouble, but Mr. Wilson, who confronted it patiently but unflinchingly.

All New York waiters must be medically examined. Hereafter they may accept tips on health.

## DEALING WITH THE DEFICIT.

The Federal revenues continue to lose ground in relation to expenditures. The special "war taxes" enacted a year ago are not making good the losses in customs duties directly resulting from a reduction in imports caused by the European war. Early next year sugar passes to the free list by the provisions of the Underwood-Simmons tariff act, and this would result in a reduction of the revenue by some \$50,000,000. Meantime large additional expenditures are in contemplation for the national defense. This is a situation Congress must take boldly in hand immediately on assembling in December. It cannot count with any certainty upon an early ending of the war and a restoration of customs revenues to normal. Sound finance will hardly countenance long-time bond issues for additional

expenditures in the national defense. The country must face the necessity of larger Federal taxation. It cannot afford any further fiscal gambling on a speedy ending of the European conflict.

As things are going a revenue deficit around \$100,000,000 will stand against the Treasury at the end of this fiscal year. To charge this up to the nation's debt account is indefensible. It must be met by war emergency taxes which will certainly equal the emergency.

The new American powder firm, with a capital of \$140,000,000, will look to the "preparedness" of all nations.

## AMBASSADOR DUMBA, STRIKE LEADER.

Ambassador C. T. Dumba of Austro-Hungaria is inclined to take a facetious view of the correspondence he sent his Government by James F. J. Archibald relative to plans for embarrassing the work of American manufacturers. "I cannot understand how Mr. Archibald could have been so stupid," he says. But if the latter was stupid was it not a perpetuation of the original stupidity of the embassy? The indiscretion was the Ambassador's, Mr. Archibald's only offense was in getting caught.

Contentions of the Austro-Hungarian Cabinet presented by Mr. Dumba relative to certain exports from America were rejected in toto by President Wilson. Mr. Dumba thereupon endeavors to enforce those contentions in part by meddling in the internal affairs of the country, by seeking to handicap the industries on which those exports depend.

Minister Sackville-West was sent home in disgrace because he gave to a single citizen of British nativity his views as to the political action in a domestic election that might best serve British policy. Was his offending so much greater than that of Mr. Dumba who counsels many former Austro-Hungarian subjects to form a conspiracy in furtherance of Austro-Hungarian policy?

Under government by injunction a restraining order might be obtained against agitators seeking to cause labor troubles for frivolous causes. Must a restraining order be asked for against the agitating diplomatic representatives of great Powers? It may be that an administration prepared to make many sacrifices for peace and genuinely desirous of lessening sources of friction will refrain from the action the incident seems to warrant. But if the gravity of the affair is overlooked, it should only be on the distinct pledge that this internal plotting shall cease.

However, to send Mr. Dumba home and ask Vienna to replace him with a representative more satisfactory and more appreciative of the responsibilities of his high office would greatly clarify the issue, prevent further irritation in this country and give new force in all parts of the world to long established diplomatic usages which the stress of war seems to be breaking down.

## WAR-TIME LABOR DAY PROCLAMATION

Workmen of the world—including everybody not an idler—unite! You have nothing but your ignorance, prejudices, false beliefs, uncharitableness, chauvinism and other follies to lose; and a world to gain for peace and humanity.

## PUBLIC UTILITIES IN LEMMON.

How a town by the name of Lemmon, knowing the temperamental vagaries of American paragoners, ever dared to get mixed up with such a thing is not easy to explain. It is a fact, however, that Lemmon, S. D., established, some years ago, a municipal saloon which is managed by three City Commissioners, just as a City Art Museum or City Park Department might be run; that in addition to paying the city a license fee of \$2000 a year, the saloon is netting Lemmon \$1000 a month.

The statement that Jersey lightning is now furnishing lights for the town, an electric plant having been bought with the profits, does not cover the full beneficence of the enterprise. Highballs are, in fact, helping to supply the town with drinking water, for the revenue from the saloon paid off the \$20,000 debt on the waterworks plant.

With such a start, the private owners and operators of gin mills, lighting plants and water-supply plants will still find the town a lemon when it gets bigger and the franchise-grafting is worth while.

"I was born an American, I live in America, and I shall die an American," said Daniel Webster. Daniel was fortunate enough to pass away before the day of the hyphen.

## "WAITING FOR THE BREAK"

Moose Victor Murdock manifests thusly:

"The Progressive party as an organization has come to stay. Like a losing baseball team we are just waiting for the break, and when it comes, which, by the way, may be in 1916, we'll select a President."

We have an idea that the selection will be the same old selection. The Progressive party is nothing if not true to himself one year with another, and no amount of waiting can wear out his bush-league ambitions.

## MONEY BY PARCELS POST.

In transporting from Halifax to New York the millions arriving from Europe, the express companies seem to be preferred. In making transfers of its own funds, however, our Government is using the safe, convenient, economical parcels post. This is only one of many uses that vindicate the judgment of those who caused the institution of the parcels post in defiance of determined protests.

Railroad and express magnates who seem to think that the privilege of transferring Government funds at exorbitant rates is one of their constitutionally guaranteed property rights are still protesting, but as vainly as when they predicted that the parcels post would inevitably prove a failure.

The Government will continue to utilize its own parcels post wherever it is found desirable in its own business and to indicate its own confidence in a service in which the people are asked to have confidence.

## I NEVER EXPECT TO HOLD OFFICE AGAIN,



## —BUT, I DON'T PROMISE NOT TO RUN AGAIN!



## IT'S THE JOY OF THE CHASE.

## JUST A MINUTE

Written for the POST-DISPATCH by Clark McAdams

## THE DIVORCE PROBLEM.

The office of the Circuit Court clerk, where divorce suits are filed, was on the fourth floor of the courthouse, and the elevator was not running. Among the early stair-climbers was a big black mammy of nearly 300 pounds weight, who pulled along by the trousers band a shriveled, shrinking black man.

At the top of the first flight of steps, which was unusually long, she stopped and exclaimed, between puffs and blows: "Look a-here, nigger, I ain't a-gwine one step further! I've drug you 'n' forty-five years o' matrimony, and I've drug you up all these here stairs. Ef dat elevashun was a-runnin', I'd git dat divo'ce dis minit; but I ain't a-gwine drag no runt of a nigger up to de fo'fe flo' o' dis here co't-house, jes fus de 'ficial disrumpshun o' de ties o' matrimony."

## COUNTRY PEOPLE AND THE CHAUTAUQUA.

Best thing about a Chautauqua is that it gets most all of the community together twice a day for a week. The balance of the year it is broken up into little knots and clans, each one running along in its own little groove and none of them much concerned about

worth while things. Folks always feel better and think a lot more of each other after meeting, and gazing into each other's eyes, and the average citizen, they find, is a pretty good fellow when they come to know him. Why can't we as a community quit living so much to ourselves alone!—Monroe County (Mo.) Appeal.

## NO EXCITEMENT.

John was grieving because he had no gift for his mother's birthday.

"Do not quarrel with little sister all day," suggested grandmother. "That would be the best gift she should have."

John agreed.

"Can't you see how much mother enjoyed your gift, John? asked grandmother at night. "Why don't you do this every day?"

John drew a breath that came from his very boots. "I'd rather die, grandma, than live like this every day!" he said fervently.

The German newspapers in the United States may be said to constitute the press without a country. Germany won't have them, and they won't have us.

## THE LANGUAGE TEST.

From the Providence Journal.

The New York constitutional convention had a stormy discussion over the proposal that all voters must be able to read and write the English language.

After being advanced toward final passage by a vote of 79 to 51, it was set aside by another narrow vote, 74-61. The division was nonpartisan in the broadest sense, but the racial opposition was extreme, due to a state of mind for which the European war is responsible. In ordinary times such a question might have had consideration more on its merits.

A "literacy" test for voting is evidently a very different thing from one to qualify for American citizenship. It applies to all citizens, native as well as foreign born, if not in the same degree when, as is usual, the provision calls for ability to read and write English. However, since the ballot is bound to be solely in that language, it would seem to be not unfair to require that the foreign-born voter be proficient enough in the tongue of his adopted country to stand the test. As a general principle, for the assimilation of our immigrant population, it is sound policy to encourage familiarity with the language as early as practicable. That is of immense assistance in inculcating the necessary instruction in American institutions.

Such a constitutional provision is not unfamiliar, of course. California, Connecticut, Delaware, Massachusetts, Maine, Mississippi, New Hampshire and Wyoming are among the states that require the citizen to qualify for the franchise by reading from the Constitution, and some of them have a writing test as well. The rule seems not to cause serious complaint, and it was apparently originated without special reference to immigration; being, rather, designed as a check on illiteracy generally. It is doubtful if it would work hardship in New York, although in the foreign colonies of the metropolis the ordinary in-

## DOCUMENTS TO ACQUIRE THE LANGUAGE MAY

not be so powerful as in most communities. In Rhode Island it would be surprising if many foreign-born residents who had been here long enough to become naturalized were unable to qualify by such a test.

## GERMAN FREEDOM.

From the New Republic.

Under the paradoxical title, "German Freedom," George Santayana tells in the New Republic what Germans mean by freedom.

"There is a fine theory of Hegel's that the universe exists in order to realize itself. In Oriental despotism, he tells us, only one man was free. In ancient republicanism a minority, the aristocracy of citizens, obtained freedom. Now at last, however, as we might suppose, in free and casual America, but under the perfect organization of the Prussian monarchy.

"For freedom in the mouth of German philosophers has a very special ability of choice or to any private initiative. It means rather that sense of freedom which we acquire when we do gladly and well what we should have to do anyhow, as when in passing from a close room into the open air we say we breathe freely at last. German freedom is like the freedom of the angels in heaven who see the face of God and cannot sin. It lies in such a deep love and understanding of what is actually established that you would not have it otherwise; you appropriate from a close room into the open air we say we breathe freely at last. German freedom is like the freedom of the angels in heaven who see the face of God and cannot sin. It lies in such a deep love and understanding of what is actually established that you would not have it otherwise; you appropriate from a close room into the open air we say we breathe freely at last. 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# The True Friend

How a woman's act at the critical time saved the fruits of a young scientist's labors and made a fortune for him—and for her.

By Florence Lilian Henderson.

FOR the lady who lived at Hillcrest, mistress of that splendid estate, Albion Wear had always entertained the highest respect—and something more. She was thirty, the bloom on her cheek a trifle faded, but his ideal still. How he revered her! He did not know it, in his blind humility, but Miss Helen Tyrell respected him infinitely. Whenever she had a party of close friends at a social function at the elaborate old mansion, Albion was honored with an invitation. He was master of the piano, and those hours of mutual music bewitched neither would ever forget.

He was thinking of Miss Tyrell now, and very seriously. She was rich, he was poor. It was his humble dream of mind—ever descending into reality—that kept him back. An chemist of the great drug factory located at the edge of the town he was of value, but it was the policy of the company to take advantage of him.

Now he had made a discovery of importance. He had come across it quite by chance and in his own private laboratory at home. In his employ-ment he had no part or parcel. It involved a new process of securing from illuminating oils over 50 per cent additional power.

"If I tell them up at the works about it they will simply appropriate it, just as they have other fruits of my labor," soliloquized Albion. "No, I feel certain my discovery is important and valuable. I have written a broker in Chicago. He wants \$2000 advance fees and organization money. I have a thousand. If I could only borrow an additional like amount—but Miss Tyrell—no! no! I cannot bring myself to ask her for it."

How willingly, how gladly, would she have accommodated him! And he knew that this was so. He feared, however, to disturb their cherished, harmonious relations. Business was a harsh element; it might lead to the impairment of their pure and tender friendship. So Albion put the suggestion of borrowing from Miss Tyrell completely out of his mind.

**Albion Gets the Money.**

THERE was a last resource, but Albion hesitated for a long time before he was driven to employ it. This was to mortgage the quaint old-fashioned and not very valuable home-stead in the village that had been left to him by his dead mother. He felt it almost sacrilegious the day he affixed his signature to a mortgage for \$1000, but there was no way out of it if he expected to exploit his formula.

Albion did not inform Miss Tyrell of his plans. He secured a leave of ab-

# Two Dresses Anyone Can Make

One-Piece Dress and Suit Needed Now With the First Cool Days—Skirts Still Full, but Tendency to Flare Away Is Gone.

FASHIONS and theories are current ament the trend of fashion at this moment. To those who study fashions the obscure, not the obvious, is the lure. Always lurking in the shadows is a real power, an actual influence, a strong touch that the thousands do not know.

All of you know the obvious things in the foreground of fashion. You were made a part of the revolution that swirled women out of sheath skirts into crinolines, from loose baggy waists into tight bodices; you represent the immense American public that considers the exact news of fashion as a right and appreciates the important movements in dress.

During the summer your interest may have somewhat slackened, but the fall is sure to awaken it. A one-piece dress and a suit for street wear are usually needed as soon as the first cool days appear. While skirts are full there is no tendency to make them flare away, but rather many times they are laid in flat plaits in places. When a skirt is circular the folds sink in to the figure and only flare when one is in motion. This is a good evidence of womankind's dislike for the petticoat. While it was inconvenient with the narrow skirt, it seems unnecessary and impractical with the full one.

For trimming the fall dress or suit, braid is extremely well liked and can be used in a variety of ways. On the frocks shown here it forms the main elaboration and chief distinction. The figure at the left suggests a light-weight quality of dark blue serge for the frock, but the waist is made to share with black satin. It forms the slightly flaring sleeves which are in one with the under-arm sections, and achieves an admirable effect, especially pretty in consideration of the front. Here a panel of the serge almost covered with straps of braid is inserted from neck nearly to the belt. A pleasing touch of color is afforded by the novelty buttons which so effectively mark the side of the panel where the frock is opened. A tiny cuff of white silk and a flaring collar of the same are refreshing finishes for sleeves and neck. The skirt, though straight and full, as most skirts are, boasts an



odd trimming in the way the black braid is used. It repeats in four inserted panels around the bottom of the skirt the charming effect introduced on the waist.

The model at the right shows quite a different frock constructed after the same design. It is especially suitable for a pretty plaid goods, as the panels offer an unusual opportunity for counter manipulation. Cut

## Cara's Cloud Castle

By Mrs. F. A. Walker.

"CARA, dear, I wish you would deliver this gown for me this afternoon," sighed Mrs. Benson one sunny October day, as the girl came in from school and dropped her books on the sewing table. "I have promised it to Mrs. Brown before dinner time."

Cara jerked up the package crossly and set out on her way across the hall. As she went she grumbled to herself about her fate. "Other girls have so much better things than I do," she muttered.

It is easily to be seen that Cara was a selfish girl. Her mother worked hard to keep the girl nicely dressed and at a good school, where she was learning to be a teacher, but the child did not appreciate this.

It was dusk when Cara rang the bell at Mrs. Brown's and was shown into a beautiful parlor. On the polished floor were priceless rugs, handsome portraits looked down from the walls and richly carved mahogany furniture was scattered about the room, which bore every evidence of comfort and luxury. The October air came softly in through the open windows, which looked out on a spacious grounds and beds of flowers. Cara took a seat in a big chair before a crackling fire with a sigh of content.

Sandman story of a little girl's trip to Fairyland, which changed her from a selfish complainer to a happy helper for her mother.

cruel, the bright colors for the gentle and kind."

Cara looked to where the fairy pointed and saw above a small frame the name of "Cara." Eagerly she examined the book on the table. The fairies were weaving into her life, and sadly she recognized black and gray as the most conspicuous colors. She hung her head in shame.

THE fairy led the girl to the edge of the cloud castle and earth. Strange to say, she could see right down through the roofs of houses. Around the table in some rich homes were gathered groups of quarreling, unhappy people, while in some poor cottages were the smiling faces of contented parents and children. At her own home she saw her mother patiently mending a dress which the girl had torn the day before and selfishly left for her mother to fix.

Cara's eyes filled with tears.

"I have learned the lesson," she said in a voice trembling with pain. "I have been sighing for wealth to do great things and leaving undone the simple duties at home, which are the really great things of life. How unkind I must seem to mother, who is so good to me."

"Cara," called a voice at her elbow. Cara opened her eyes and found herself in the clouds, but in the parlor in which she had taken a nap. "Here is the money for your mother," said the lady. "And if you care to teach my little boy an hour on three afternoons of each week, I will pay for your music lessons this year."

With a joyful heart the girl accepted and ran home a different child from the one which had left it an hour before. Working hard to make her mother happy, she soon became one of the happiest girls herself.

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## SOME NEW RECIPES.

**Egg and Cheese Sandwich**—Mix well together the yolk of two hard-boiled eggs and one scant teaspoon butter; season to taste; add any kind of grated cheese and spread on white bread and butter.

**Diet Bread Cake**—Beat four eggs, then add to them a quarter of a pound of dried flour and half a pound of loaf sugar, with six drops of almond flavoring. When these are well mixed together, place them near the fire to warm, then pour into a well buttered mold.

**Scotch Wafers**—Take one pound of sugar, half a pound of butter, 1 pound of

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**It's** an opportunity that may not present itself again this season. The manufacturer was compelled by circumstances to sacrifice an overstock of 300 Suits—something almost unheard of right at the season's threshold. There is not a Suit in the lot that should sell for less than \$15.00—most are \$18.00 and \$20.00 values.

Every Suit is richly satin or peau de cygne silk lined. Every style is smart—a glimpse of the 6 styles shown here will give assurance of this. They are superbly tailored, faultless in "hang," "drape" and finish. Even the most plainly tailored ones have a style individuality, owing to the clever designing and smart lines. (Third Floor.)

**White Chinchilla Coats**  
Saturday's express brought 200 of these so-much-in-demand Coats. So great is the demand and so scarce is the cloth for Chinchilla Coats of the better kind, that one New York manufacturer, after getting a fresh supply of clothes, rushed our order through and shipped without the buttonholes being worked and we had them finished in our own workroom.

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"Sport" models, 3/4 and 3/8 lengths, in all-white and white with black or bright colored plaid or striped back, the plaid or stripe showing through in the dimmed "rainbow" effect. Also plain white, 3/4 length, loose fitting, with Iceland fox collar and around bottom.



**New Navy Taffeta Dresses**  
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**Choice of Any Summer Dress**  
It will pay you to buy these for next Summer at this price. This offering includes the Dresses we sold at \$2.98, \$4.98, \$6.98 and up to \$7.50. They are fine voiles, organdies, French crepes—tissues, pure liness and ruffles—at this price they won't last long, so come early and get a few at—  
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**Sight Endangered by Golf Ball.**  
KANSAS CITY, Mo., Sept. 6.—Theodore Brumback, son of Judge and Mrs. Hermann Brumback, was struck by a golf ball here yesterday. The blow broke his eyeglasses and severely injured the right eye, but it possibly can be saved.

**5 Austrians Recaptured in Canada.**  
COCHRANE, Ontario, Sept. 6.—After traveling nearly 60 miles on foot through dense woodlands and living principally on berries, five Austrians who escaped from the internment camp at Spirit Lake, near here, four weeks ago, were captured at Gillies Bay.

### HEALTH ASSOCIATION MEETS

**Wide Range of Topics for Sessions at Rochester.**  
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Sept. 6.—With nearly 200 delegates present, the twenty-third annual meeting of the American Health Association opened here today and will continue through Friday.

Tonight the members will be the guests of the health officers of New York, who are also holding a convention here. Among the speakers on the program is Surgeon-General W. C. Clegg.

At the sessions proper, which will open tomorrow, a wide range of topics, including mosquitoes, tuberculosis, food supplies and sewage disposal will be discussed. Prof. William T. Sedgwick of Boston is president of the association.

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**Kaiser Visits Cracow, Galicia.**  
BERLIN, by wireless to Sayville, Sept. 6.—Emperor William has visited Cracow, Galicia (for centuries the capital of the kingdom of Poland), and was cordially received by the population. He inspected some of the churches and the famous Polish library.

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## CLERK TELLS HOW HE LOST FUNDS OF BANK AT CRAPS

W. C. Gannon Says He Rarely Won and Never More Than \$2 at a Time.

After spending yesterday, his twenty-first birthday, in jail, an admitted gambler, William C. Gannon, a clerk for the Merchants-Laclede National Bank, this morning told further details about his gambling, in which he shot away more than \$100 of the bank's money in the game of craps.

"It just occurs to me," he said, "that in the more than a year I have been bucking the game, most of the time with friends, I have never won more than a dozen times and never more than \$2 at any one time."

He had expected to stay on a farm at St. Clair, Mo., for two weeks and had even gone to that town. He had no sooner arrived, he says, than fear drove him back to St. Louis. He telephoned the farmer he had been recalled to the city and in his agitation came away without his suit case full of clothes.

Once back in town he loitered around the bank at closing hours to meet his fellow clerks and see whether their manner indicated anything had been discovered. Saturday he called up the clerk who had taken his desk—"Just to see if he would say anything," he explained—and the clerk advised him to come to the bank at once, as a mistake had been discovered.

He had been there only a few minutes before he was confessing everything to the cashier and giving figures. Fifteen months ago, he said this morning, his stepfather gave him \$100 to deposit in the bank. That night he met some friends, who took him to a craps game in South St. Louis, where he lost the money. He refuses to tell where this game was played, saying it has long since been closed by the police and he has no desire to rake up old troubles.

**Switches Credits on Books.**  
Then he began a game of switching credits on his books. He would take a sum from one account and credit it on another and keep shifting things around so that the defalcation could not easily be discovered.

All the time he kept trying to win enough money to enable him to get everything straightened up with the bank. Three weeks ago he attended a picnic of St. Louis real estate salesmen at Stalling, Ill. He says he took \$50 of the bank's money along with him, hoping to make a winning in a craps game. Instead, he lost the \$50.

The youth seemed anxious to reassure relatives that money they had entrusted to him to deposit was safe. His stepfather, his grandfather, J. W. Patton, 3731 South Compton avenue, and his grandfather's mother all had sent money to the bank by him at different times.

Gannon expected to give bond at a hearing before a United States Commissioner today. He said he would throw himself upon the bank's mercy and take whatever punishment was assigned him.

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## SOCIETY

FROM Gratiot Beach, Port Huron, Mich., comes the announcement of the engagement of Miss Arline Clark, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus E. Clark, to John N. Laanen of Port Huron. Mr. and Mrs. Clark are among the St. Louisans who have a cottage at "Gratiot" and have gone there every summer for several years.

Miss Clark has been a belle for several seasons. She is the sister of Warren D. Clark of Pasadena, and of Mrs. Colesta Clark Thompson, and like her sister is one of the best dressed women in town.

The marriage probably will be in the late autumn.

The Missouri Historical Society is arranging a special Velled Prophet exhibit for the month of October. It will consist of all the Velled Prophet invitations, the programs which in former years were the souvenirs, all of the gifts since the beginning of the game, and pictures of all the girls who danced with the Prophet or took part in any way in the ceremony.

Much of the exhibit will be loaned for the occasion.

The marriage of Miss Ethel Hennessy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Hennessy of 5833 Page boulevard, and Jere Sheehan has been set for Sept. 15 and will be solemnized at mass at St. Rose's Church at 9:30 o'clock in the morning, by the Rev. Father J. J. McElroy. Miss Marjory Armstrong will be maid of honor and Dr. Emmet R. Kane will be best man.

There will be a breakfast at the home of the bride for the nearest relatives and friends. Mrs. William S. Barry of 1728 Pennsylvania avenue will give a luncheon Thursday in honor of Miss Hennessy.

Mr. and Mrs. George Valle Bain have moved into their own home at 2023 Russell avenue. Since their marriage in April they have been stopping with Mr. Bain's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. L. Bain, at 2601 Flora boulevard.

Miss Marie and Elizabeth Standolph of 3733 Vernon avenue have returned from The Cedars, Barnhart, Mo.

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## The Jarr Family

Written for the Post-Dispatch  
By Roy L. McCardell.

### Mr. Jarr Adds Several New Facts to His Large Fund of Ignorance.

"WHAT would you say if I were to tell you that I was going to the ball game this afternoon? Would you put up a tall scream?" asked Mr. Jarr.

"Now there you go!" said Mrs. Jarr. "One would think to hear you talk that I had picked you something terrible! Of course you can go to the ball game, only I do think if you have an afternoon off you might take me somewhere."

"I'll take you to the ball game," said Mr. Jarr.

"Excuse me!" said Mrs. Jarr. "I went with you once, and all I could see was a lot of men in their shirt sleeves shouting 'Kill the robber!' Then one man shook a stick at a ball and then was told to sit down. The idea of a lot of men sliding around in the dirt and chewing gum and getting themselves all dirty and perspiring in the hot sun while you and 10,000 other idiots screamed and groaned!"

"It's the great American game," said Mr. Jarr. "but if you don't want to go and will name something that will interest you more, why, lead me to it!"

"Oh, never mind!" said Mrs. Jarr. "I think I'll go to the dressmaker's, or shopping; or maybe I'll run in to see Clara Mudridge Smith."

"I thought you were mad at her?" said Mr. Jarr.

"Why, not at all," said Mrs. Jarr. "We never had a word. Besides, Mrs. Hickett has gone to Texas to visit for a while."

"What has that to do with it?" asked Mr. Jarr.

"It was Mrs. Hickett made all the trouble," said Mrs. Jarr. "She never liked me to be with Clara Mudridge Smith. I never saw such a jealous woman."

"The way you two would get together and pan the Mudridge Smith person was!"

"I don't know what you mean by that odious slang," interrupted Mrs. Jarr. "but if you mean that I ever said anything against Clara Mudridge Smith you say what isn't so. She's worth two of Edith Hickett any day!"

"What's the matter with women that they are all divided up into little cliques?" asked Mr. Jarr. "I've noticed that you can only be thick with one woman at a time. Sometimes it's Mrs. Rangle and sometimes it's Mrs. Stryver and sometimes it's Clara Mudridge Smith and sometimes it's Mrs. Hickett. But when you are with one of the others most feel their ears burn."

"That isn't true!" said Mrs. Jarr. "I treat everybody alike."

"You criticize the absent alike when you are with the others, you mean!" said Mr. Jarr.

"I think you could spend your time better than eavesdropping when my friends call," said Mrs. Jarr. "I'm sure I do not criticize anybody. I can't help it if people tell me things. And Clara Mudridge Smith is a sweet girl!"

"And now Mrs. Hickett is going away and the sweet girl will get together and pity the poor people in Texas," said Mr. Jarr.

"We'll do nothing of the kind," said Mrs. Jarr. "Of course Clara Mudridge Smith didn't like Mrs. Hickett and I can't blame her after the way Mrs. Hickett talked about her. But Mrs. Hickett never did like me to go with anybody else."

"And now she is going to Texas you'll take up with the one that stays in St. Louis?"

"Well, what good will it do me to fight Mrs. Hickett's battles when she is going away?" asked Mrs. Jarr.

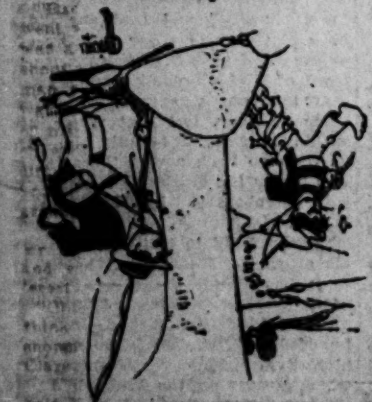
"Then you'll be thick with Mrs. Mudridge-Smith and the two of you will roost Mrs. Rangle and Mrs. Stryver?" asked Mr. Jarr.

"How silly you talk!" said Mrs. Jarr. "Why, Clara Mudridge-Smith is giving me this afternoon and both Mrs. Stryver and Mrs. Rangle will be there."

"Who will get the roasting in that case?" asked Mr. Jarr.

"Why, Mrs. Hickett will. She won't be there and none of them like her," said Mrs. Jarr, unthinkingly.

To Be Expected.



Why, oh, why is the catch always in inverse ratio to the cost of the tackle?

Both Sides.

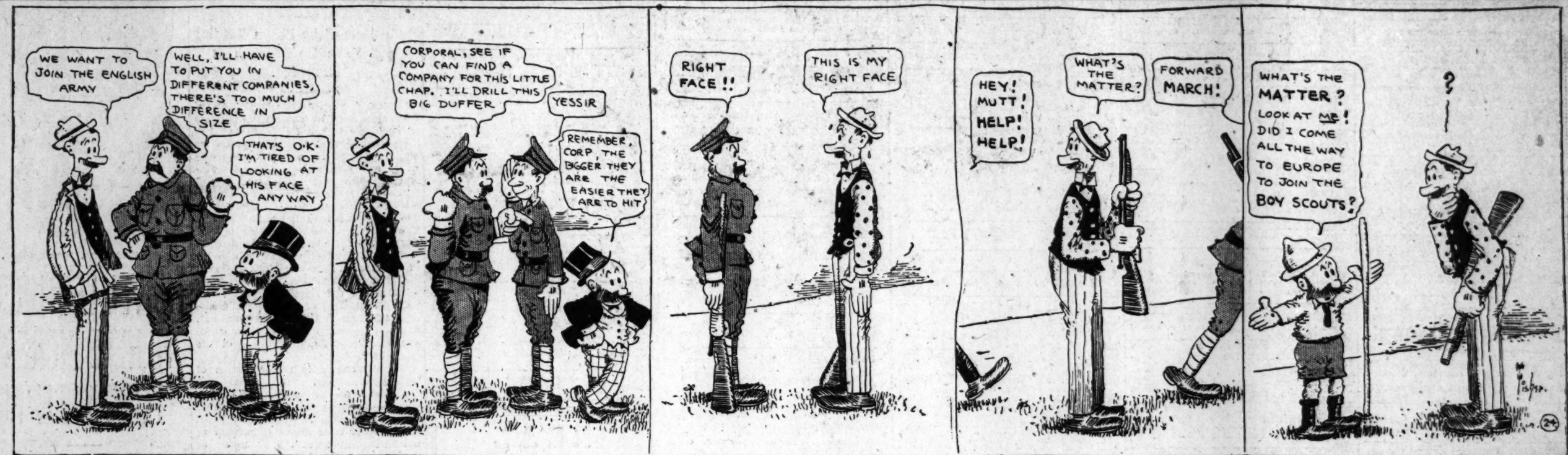
MOLLIE: "Didn't she try to set on the right side of you?"

CHLOE: "Perhaps she tried, but I remember that, while dancing she sometimes would get on my left foot."

## JEFF Has a Hard Time Getting Into the War at That

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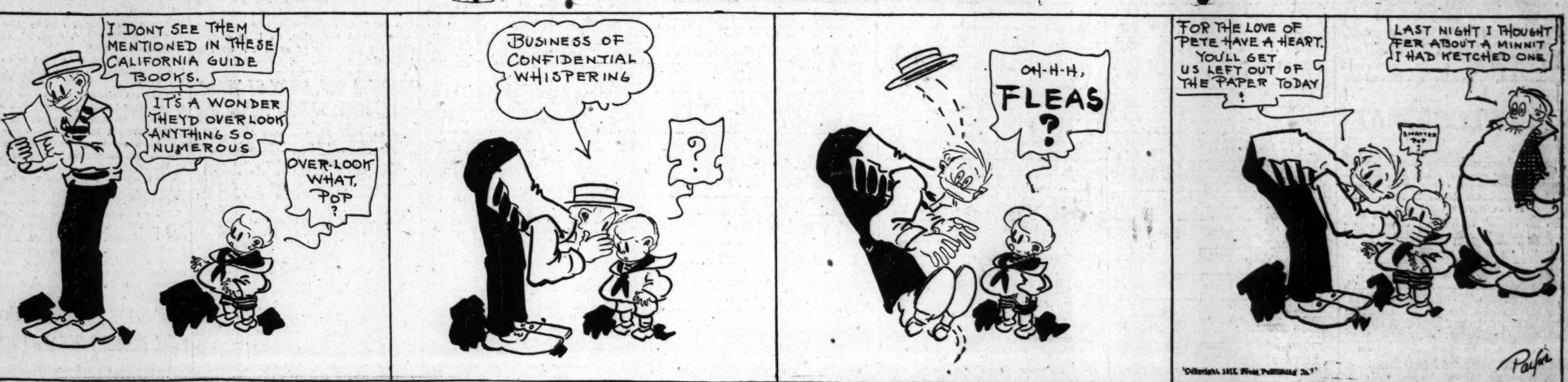
By Bud Fisher



## S'MATTER POP?

Something the Boosters Don't Mention.

Drawn for the Post-Dispatch  
By C. M. PAYNE.



### Embarrassing.

A YOUNG man in the country had a tender passion and took his girl some flowers.

"How kind of you," said the girl. "to bring me these lovely flowers. They are so beautiful and fresh. I think there is some dew on them yet."

"Yes," said the young man in great embarrassment; "there is; but I'm going to pay it off tomorrow."

If we could see ourselves as others see us we would think there was something the matter with the looking glass. —Philadelphia Telegraph.

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It may be that I'm in a rut  
And miss a lot, by gosh!  
For I have seen the pig iron, but  
I never saw one wash.  
—Luke McLuke.

There is nothing easier than grinding an ax if you can get somebody to turn the grindstone. —Philadelphia Telegraph.

### Always Goes Home.

DURING a recitation in natural history a teacher asked:  
"Can anyone tell me where the home of the swallow is?"  
There was a long silence. Finally one lad rose and offered this response:  
"The home of the swallow is in the stomach." —New York Times.

A man may get all that is coming to him and yet get not a thing that he wants.

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